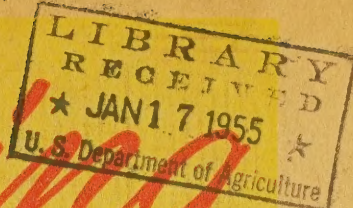


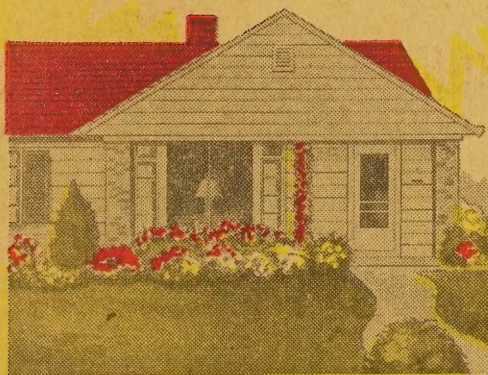
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# NOW YOU CAN GROW YOUR OWN DELICIOUS TREE RIPE FRUIT with STARK *Quadruple Life* DWARFS

**EVEN IN TINIEST BACK YARD**

## This Newest Miracle In Horticulture Gives You

**Giant-Size Fruit QUICKER from Trees No Bigger than a Dining Table. You Can Plant 5 Times as Many Stark Hardy Dwarfs as Standard-Size Trees in Same Space. Trees Sold ONLY by Stark Bro's.**

Dreams of millions of town and city families are now coming true when they plant Stark Hardy Dwarf Apple and Pear Trees.

They are picking Giant-Size, Deliciously Flavored, Vitamin-Filled Apples and Pears from their own trees—even if their yards are tiny ones that go with 30 or 50 ft. city lots..

### FRUIT IS GIANT SIZE

It's amazing, yet Apples and Pears grown on Stark Dwarfs are Giant-Size — as Large or Larger than the same variety grown on Standard-Size Trees.

### SAME DELICIOUS FLAVOR

Apples and Pears are just as good as they are when grown on Standard-size trees—just as fine in every way.

### BEAR EVEN QUICKER

"Stark Hardy Dwarfs in my father's back yard are surely amazing," says Harry Guengerich. "When only 2 years old, they had a nice crop. This (3rd Year) they are simply loaded."

### DON'T NEED A LADDER TO PICK THEM

Trees are so small, you don't even need a ladder to pick the fruit and care for trees. Yet strong and sturdy enough to give you bushels of Big, Juicy Apples or Luscious Pears all Summer, Fall and for Winter use if you plant several Dwarf Trees ripening in succession.

### USE THEM IN A DOZEN PLACES

These Amazing Stark Hardy Dwarfs are so small they will fit in a dozen places around the yard—one on either side of the doorway—Wherever you need a Tall-Growing Shrub.—At corner of house—in Patio—Trained on Wall or house or garage, etc., or as a "Vest Pocket Orchard" at 8 to 10 feet apart. (Commercial plantings 15 to 20 ft. apart)

### PROUD OF STARK DWARFS

"I have 4 Dwarf Apple Trees bought of you a little over 2 years ago and they have had apples on them two seasons. The Golden Lodi had 52 large apples this year. I am very proud of them." H. Q. Jones, Miss.



Dwarf Stark Golden Delicious Apple Tree Planted January 1952 Bearing 32 Big, Juicy, Golden Apples September 1, 1953 in the Back Yard of Leonard W. Valentine, California.

### Home Sold for MORE Because 1-Year Stark Dwarfs Were Bearing.

"The dwarf trees I purchased from you and planted in my small yard (16x40 feet) in Washington, D.C., bore fruit the following year and aided me in making a nice profit when I sold my place."

J. G. Bradley.

### 1-Year Stark Dwarfs In Bloom.

"The one dozen Dwarf Apple Trees you sent me last autumn are all out in leaf and the Dwarfs sent me just a year ago are in blossom and will bear fruit this year. I am very much pleased with them."

Fred W. Canning, Calif.

### Stark Dwarf Trees Hardy in Minnesota.

"Last Spring you shipped 6 of your Dwarf Apple Trees to me. At the time there was some question in my mind as to whether they would weather the winter or not. They have come through an unusually severe winter in fine

shape and look as good or better than our native trees."

Ferd Kosec, Goodhue County, Minn.

### Doctor Picks Apples from 2-Year Dwarfs.

"On March 1950 we planted 8 of your dwarf apple trees. They made good growth beyond all expectations. In 1951 they blossomed (some of them heavily) and 5 of the 8 bore fruit. A Stark Golden Delicious had 39 apples on it. (15 on one limb). A Stark Jonared had about 20 apples."

Franklin E. Cutler, M.D., Lincoln County, Oregon.

### 300 Apples from Two 2-Year Dwarf.

"February 1949 I purchased from your firm two Stark Golden Delicious and two Starking Delicious Dwarf Apple Trees. Last year, 1950, the Golden's had a few apples and this season I picked nearly 300 apples from the two trees. I am sure pleased with them and they are a source of admiration by all my neighbors."

C. J. Pine, Lake County, Calif.



20 Pears on 1-Year Starking Delicious Dwarf Pear Tree in back yard of Theodore Rundquist.

Pears are just as LARGE, just as Deliciously-Flavored and just as fine in every way as Pears grown on Standard Size Trees.

Number of Dwarfs You Need for Any of Following-Sized Plots of Ground—Planting Dwarfs 10 Feet Apart.

10x20 ft.—	6 Dwarf Trees
10x30 ft.—	8 Dwarf Trees
10x50 ft.—	12 Dwarf Trees
20x30 ft.—	12 Dwarf Trees
20x50 ft.—	18 Dwarf Trees
30x50 ft.—	24 Dwarf Trees

For Commercial Plantings Plant 15 to 20 ft. apart.



J. L. Baker of Pennsylvania, picking 1/2 bushel of big tree-ripe Stark Golden Delicious apples from his Stark Quadruple-Life Dwarf Tree planted in his front yard just 29 months before.

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## They've Planted 1000 Dwarf Apple Trees!

By GEORGE LAYCOCK

Mark Byers thinks there is a big future in little apple trees. As manager of Dixie Orchard Company, Vincennes, Ind., he has planted one of the country's largest commercial dwarf apple orchards. In the last 4 years more than 1000 have been planted.

Last fall about a half bushel per tree was picked from those set out in 1950. Fruit had to be thinned from many of the trees to protect them from breakage. Varieties include red and yellow Delicious, Jonathan and Turley Winesap.

"So far they look good," Byers declares. "We hope to make healthy, highly productive trees because we think dwarfs have a lot of advantages. Here are some of the reasons why we planted them:

1. Early bearing. Dwarf trees begin to bear 2 to 5 years before large trees.

2. Fruit is earlier. Dwarfs ripen fruit about 2 weeks before the same variety on large stock. This puts them on the market in time to get a

price advantage. Apples are larger and more uniform. Fruit colors more evenly because the tops of the trees do not shade lower-growing fruit.

3. Easier care. Dwarf trees are easy to spray and coverage is more complete. "We get the most worm damage in the tops of old trees where the sprayers can't reach," Byers says.

4. Cut picking labor. "We'll have to have smaller trees or harvesting machinery," Byers believes. "It's hard to hire workers to pick fruit from high ladders. We have to cut everything that grows beyond reach of a man on a 20 ft. ladder. That includes some of the best wood on the tree. I'll settle for a tree that grows 12 to 15 ft. high and yields 500 bu. per acre."

Byers is excited about the possibilities of dwarfs, but he feels they need more testing on a commercial scale. That's why he is planting on a filler basis. Dwarfs are placed in rows between standard trees of the same variety. This gives him 20 ft. spacing in a 40 ft. row rather than the regular 40 ft. by 40 ft. spacing.

## Prices Dwarf Apple and Pear Trees

**\$4.00 Each**

Genuine Stark U. S. Plant Patented Process "Quadruple-Life" Dwarf Trees Sold ONLY by Stark Bro's Nurseries.

Tree-Ripe Fruit All Season. You can literally eat your way around the season if you plant a family-size orchard of Stark Hardy Dwarf Trees. Stark Dwarf Trees produce fruit exactly like fruit grown on Standard-size Trees.

### Early Summer Dwarf Apples

A305 Stark Earliest—See Page 6.  
A307 Lodi (Early Golden)—See Page 6.

### Summer & Fall Dwarf Apples

A313 Summer Champion—See Page 6.  
A311 Wealthy, Double Red—See Page 6.  
A314 Stark JonGrimes—See Page 4.

### Winter Dwarf Apples

A310 McIntosh, Dbl. Red—See Page 6.  
A306 Stark RedGold—See Page 5.  
A303 Jonared—See Page 4.  
A315 Northern Spy, Dbl. Red—See Page 7.

### Late Winter-Keeping Dwarf Apples

A301 Starking Delicious—See Page 5.  
A302 Stark Golden Delicious—See Pages 3 and 4.  
A304 Scarlet Staymared—See Page 4.

## SAVE MONEY — ORDER

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Now Only	Regular Price	You Save
<b>\$21.00</b>	<b>\$24.00</b>	<b>\$3.00</b>

- 1 Stark Golden Delicious
- 1 Starking Delicious
- 1 Scarlet Staymared
- 1 Stark RedGold
- 1 Jon-A-Red
- 1 Lodi (Early Golden)

(If any variety in Assortment is exhausted, our experts will select one of equal value.)

### Dwarf Pear Trees—\$4.00 Each

Described and shown in color on Page 10.

A320 Anjou Pear A309 Lincoln  
A308 Bartlett Pear A318 Fame Pear  
A319 Duchess Pear A317 Seckel Pear  
A321—Starking Delicious Pear—  
**\$10.00 Each**



# Special Private Preview Stark Newest Fruits!

# BE FIRST-BE



Actual Size  
of Starking  
Delicious  
Peach

**NEW!**

**A42**

## STARKING DELICIOUS PEACH

TRADE-MARK. Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.

**Earliest Yellow Freestone. U. S. Plant Patent No. 803.**  
**We paid \$10,000.00 for the Original Limb.**

To bring you this Earliest-Ripening of All high quality Yellow Freestone Peaches, Stark Bro's paid the highest price on record for any new fruit tree or bud-sport limb. TWICE as much as for the world-famous Stark Golden Delicious Apple Tree! Vivid red-and-gold Starking Delicious Peach, with its luscious flavor and rich golden yellow flesh (Freestone when full ripe) ripens about 36-40 days earlier than ordinary Elbertas; 10 days before Golden Jubilee; 7 days before Redhaven. It has the identical quality and superb flavor of its famous parent, Burbank July Elberta—but it ripens 3 weeks earlier. Ideal for Eating, Canning, Freezing, Marketing.

PRICES		4 to 6 ft.	3 to 4 ft.	2 to 3 ft.	10 or more Trees
		\$3.75 each	\$3.50 each	\$3.20 each	\$2.95 each
		10 or more Trees	10 or more Trees	10 or more Trees	10 or more Trees

Please Order ALL Nursery Stock by Number and Name

## STARKING HARDY GIANT

TRADE-MARK. Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.

### SWEET CHERRY

(New U. S. Plant Patent No. 764)

Here at last is the giant, hardy, crack-resistant Sweet Cherry that is a worthy hardy team-mate for Stark Gold. Never before have we had two top sweet cherries so hardy they winter through 30° below zero weather safe and sound. And they help each other because they cross-pollinize—work together to give you big crops of the most delicious red and gold sweet cherries you ever tasted.

Starking Hardy Giant trees bear immense clusters of huge, beautiful, luscious cherries—gorgeous dark red, almost purple. The flavor is so full and rich, the flesh "bites" so crisp and firm, you can't get enough of this superb eating! Ripens to tremendous size in mid-cherry season—only 2 to 3 weeks after strawberry time. Produced astonishingly heavy crops even where sweet cherries have never borne before. The champion Red Sweet Cherry for Eating, Cooking, Market. NNCS.

**PRICES** 4 to 6 ft. \$4.95 each; 10 or more trees \$4.75 ea.  
3 to 4 ft. \$4.75 each; 10 or more trees \$4.50 ea.

## A107 STARK LATEGOLD

U. S. Plant Patent Applied For

**NEW, Late-Ripening Yellow Freestone.** Stark LateGold is the ideal Large-size, Deliciously flavored, Yellow Freestone to give you luscious Peaches to follow after Elberta and Hal-Berta Giant. Fine for Home and Commercial Orchards. This BIG new hybrid of Hal-Berta Giant and Elberta is ready for Eating Fresh, Pies, Cobblers, Freezing, Canning and Markets 7 to 10 days after Elberta. It's a beauty—rich gold overlaid with bright carmine red. Thick golden flesh is tender, rich, juicy—Delicious! Even when picked at firm-ripe stage for distant shipping, it develops luscious rich flavor. Young and Heavy Bearer — EXTRA HARDY. Tree sold ONLY by Stark Bro's.

PRICES		4 to 6 ft.	3 to 4 ft.	2 to 3 ft.
		Size.....\$2.75	Size.....\$2.45	Size.....\$2.20

## A119. EARLY WHITE GIANT PEACH

New, U. S. Plant Patent No. 878. Earliest Ripening Big, Luscious White-Fleshed Freestone

At last you can know the palate-tempting enjoyment of fine Freestone peaches earlier in the season than ever before. Big, luscious, creamy-white peaches, chock-full of delicious juice.

Easy to grow in your own back-yard. A profit maker for local markets. Early White Giant comes to you in all its flash-white, plus mouth-watering flavor — about 48 days before Elberta. NCS.

PRICES		4 to 6 ft.	3 to 4 ft.	2 to 3 ft.
		\$2.75 ea.; 10 or more Trees \$2.50 ea.	\$2.50 ea.; 10 or more Trees \$2.20 ea.	\$2.20 ea.; 10 or more Trees \$1.95 ea.

**Genuine Trees of U. S. Patented & Trade-**

# STARK BIG 4 PEACHES

**Plant these BIG 4 Stark Peaches for luscious tree-ripe Peaches all season—from Early to Late.**

They are Tops in Quality. They are Large in size. They are Yellow-Fleshed. They are Freestone. They are Delicious in Flavor. They ripen in succession to supply the kind of peaches you want for Eating Fresh; for Pies, Cobblers, Peaches and Cream; for Freezing and Canning.

- A42. STARKING DELICIOUS**—Fully described above.
- A47. BURBANK JULY ELBERTA**—Fully described on Page 9.
- A48. STARK EARLY ELBERTA**—Fully described on Page 8.
- A50. HAL-BERTA**—Fully described on Page 8.



Burbank July Elberta bearing 100 pounds of big, luscious colorful peaches the second summer in the back yard of Alexander Mills, Calif.  
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### The Best Peaches I Ever Tasted

December, 1950, I sent an order to you for 2 Fruit Trees: 1 No. 102 Starking Delicious Peach; 1 No. 47 Burbank July Elberta Peach. I received both fruit trees in perfect condition. In the summer of 1952 I gathered 33 Peaches on the Burbank July Elberta Peach Tree and 29 Peaches on Starking Delicious Peach. These are the best peaches I ever tasted.

The reason I have written this is because they (my neighbors) said you can't grow peaches so near the Atlantic Ocean (7 miles). But I did because they are your Fruit Trees. (Starks, the best).

James Scott, New Jersey.

### 3 Straight Crops from 4-Year Trees

The 18 Burbank's July Elberta Peaches that I got from you in 1950 have had three straight crops of peaches. Every tree bore the second year. I have to thin the peaches heavy when small as they set entirely too much fruit. The peaches are as good if not better than your descriptions. The trees have grown to a size almost unbelievably large for their age. I have trouble convincing visitors that they were planted in 1950.

William L. Morton, Calif.

**16 Giant Peaches from 2-Year Tree**  
"My Hal-Berta Giant peach tree that I set out two years ago that I got from you had about sixteen of the loveliest, largest peaches I have ever seen. I really boast your trees around here."

Mrs. Edwin Stewart, Oklahoma.

### 3-Year Trees Average a Bushel Each

The new Starking Delicious peach trees which I put out in South Mississippi, December 12th, 1950, had ripe peaches on them for the first time May 23rd. It looks as though they will produce on an average of a bushel for each tree.

G. H. Raner, III.

### Starking Delicious Peach a Winner in Maryland

"We picked our first peaches from the 'Starking Delicious' tree, about a peck and a half and they sure were delicious, sweet as honey. We were very satisfied with our stock

and do hope we are not too much nuisance when we write and ask for advice from you every once in awhile and which we follow diligently. Our Orchard is the pride of our area in Maryland and we are very proud of it."

Carl A. Hofberg.

### Stark Early Elberta Better Than You Say

"The writer is taking this liberty of writing a personal letter to you relative to the merits of your great Stark's Early Elberta peach. Your description of this fine peach in your catalog is not sufficient to fully state the qualities of this great peach. In plain terms you could not possibly 'Overdo it' in anything that you might say about it."

"I live up here in the very edge of the peach belt but last season I raised nearly two bushels of this fine peach from a tree that I purchased from you three or four years ago. They were the largest and finest tasting peaches that I have ever seen."

H. J. Johnson, Nebraska.

### PRICES

- A42. Starking Delicious \$1.00 Extra.\*\*\*
- A47. Burbank July Elberta\*\*\*
- A48. Stark Early Elberta\*\*\*
- A50. Hal-Berta Giant\*\*\*

All Trees Genuine Stark Record-Bearing Strains

EACH RATE		10-RATE
(1 to 9 Trees)		(10 to 49 Trees)
4 to 6 ft. size.....	\$2.75 a tree	\$2.50 a tree
3 to 4 ft. size.....	2.50 a tree	2.20 a tree
2 to 3 ft. size.....	2.20 a tree	1.95 a tree

## 20-Tree Demonstration Orchards

### STARKING DELICIOUS PEACH

**ONLY \$38.40** Regular 3-4 ft. Price \$64.00  
Also in 4-6 ft. size.....**ONLY \$42.00** **SAVE \$25.60**

### BURBANK JULY ELBERTA PEACH

**ONLY \$26.40** Regular 3-4 ft. Price \$44.00  
Also in 4-6 ft. size.....**ONLY \$30.00** **SAVE \$17.60**

### STARK EARLY ELBERTA PEACH

**ONLY \$26.40** Regular 3-4 ft. Price \$44.00  
Also in 4-6 ft. size.....**ONLY \$30.00** **SAVE \$17.60**

### HAL-BERTA GIANT PEACH

**ONLY \$26.40** Regular 3-4 ft. Price \$44.00  
Also in 4-6 ft. size.....**ONLY \$30.00** **SAVE \$17.60**



# PROUD to Grow These Brand New Varieties!

## A130 REDHEART

New. Red-fleshed  
Mid-summer Plum.

Redheart is a Large, New Red-Fleshed Plum—a cross between Wickson and Duarte. In color and shape it resembles Starking Delicious. Its delicious flesh is bright red, becoming somewhat deeper red at full maturity. Flavor sweet and rich with a pronounced aroma similar to Duarte. Texture firm-melting. Fine grained. Excellent. Skin moderately tough, crisp—good keeper and shipper. Ripens to its full delicious flavor when picked firm-ripe. Tree Hardy, Vigorous and a heavy producer. Larger fruit will result from 4" spacing between plums early in season. Fine pollinizer especially for Elephant Heart.

### PRICES

4 to 6 ft. Size.....	\$4.45
3 to 4 ft. Size.....	\$4.25



Actual photograph Starking Delicious Plums

## A118. Golden Early BIRD PEACH

U. S. Plant Patent No. 970

New Extremely Hardy Earliest Yellow Semi-Freestone. Bright red blush over deep yellow. Luscious flesh is a rich, clear, clean yellow. Medium size. Very fine when fully tree-ripe. Best of its season—7 weeks ahead of Elberta. For the Home, Roadside and Local Market orchard even in sections where few peaches thrive. NCS.

### PRICES

4 to 6 ft. \$2.75 ea., 10 or more Trees \$2.50 ea.
3 to 4 ft. \$2.50 ea., 10 or more Trees \$2.20 ea.
2 to 3 ft. \$2.20 ea., 10 or more Trees \$1.95 ea.

## A24. STARKING DELICIOUS PLUM

TRADE-MARK. Reg. U.S. Pat. Off.

New Red-Fleshed Plum —  
U. S. Plant Patent No. 1064

A brand-new Red-Fleshed PLUM so Large in size, so Beautiful in shape and color, with a flavor so Delicious and a tree so Hardy and Heavy-Bearing that Stark Bro's Fruit Experts unanimously voted to add it to our family of top-quality "STARKING DELICIOUS" Fruits. The new STARKING DELICIOUS Plum is Large—often 2 inches in diameter. So glossy Red that it glistens in the sun. Tender red flesh sparkles with ruby-red juice. Wonderful for home yards and gardens—for Eating, Desserts, Canning, Freezing. Should be a Good Shipper and a Profit-Maker for growers. Supply LIMITED this year. Reserve YOURS today! Genuine Trees are Sold ONLY by Stark Bro's.

### PRICES

4 to 6 ft. Size.....	\$4.95 Each
3 to 4 ft. Size.....	\$4.75 Each

## A142. STARKING DELICIOUS PEAR

TRADE-MARK. Reg. U.S. Pat. Off.

U. S. Plant Patent No. 1044 New Giant! Delicious! Most Blight-Proof Pear We've Ever Tested! Trees Sold ONLY by Stark Bro's.

The Pear Sensation of the Century. A Giant in size. Beautiful golden color similar to the famous Anjou of France. Delicious! Rich, luscious flavor even superior to the world-renowned Bartlett. White flesh is tender, smooth, melting, luscious and very juicy—with no grit!

We couldn't make it blight in Stark-Burbank Test Orchards. You will want Starking Delicious Pear—the finest Pear we have ever known. Wonderful for Eating Fresh, Canning, Markets.

### PRICES

A142 Standard Size Trees \$7.50 Each
A321 Dwarf Size Trees \$10.00 Each

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Stark Bro's Nurseries & Orchards Co.  
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**TERMS**—You can send all Cash With Order or send 25% Down Payment. Check the payment plan you wish on Order Blank—either the CASH-With-Order Plan, C.O.D. Plan or Easy TIME-PAYMENT PLAN.

**HOW TO SEND PAYMENT.** It is best and safest to send remittance to Stark Bro's by Check, Postal Money Order, Express Money Order or Bank Draft.

**IMPORTANT:** Write both Variety NUMBER and NAME shown with price schedules when ordering.

**WHEN TO PLANT.** Select the Planting Season you prefer—FALL or SPRING—and check your wishes on Order Blank. We will ship at the right time for planting in your section, during the season you select. Most customers prefer to leave the exact date of shipment to our judgment. We recommend Only Spring Planting in Far Northern States, such as Minn., Montana, etc.

**SAVE ON 10-RATE PRICES.** Order a total of 10 or More Trees and use the 10-Rate Prices.

**On 50 or MORE TREES, SHRUBS or PLANTS,** send list of your needs to Stark Bro's Commercial-Wholesale Dept., Louisiana, Mo., for SPECIAL ESTIMATE.

**EASY MONTHLY PAYMENTS.** You can buy Stark Nursery Stock on the Easy Monthly Payment Plan.

## Free Trees to Cover Your Transportation Cost Included with Your Order

Stark Bro's will select and include Free, with Customer's Shipment of Nursery Stock purchased at prices quoted in this catalog, enough Top-Quality Stark World's Champion Nursery Stock to Cover Transportation Costs the customer pays when his shipment arrives. We are the only nursery doing this as far as we know.

Stark Golden Delicious Apple Trees  
are Available both in  
Standard and Dwarf  
Size Trees

Marked Varieties In This Book SOLD ONLY by STARK BRO'S

# STARK GOLDEN DELICIOUS

— America's Quickest, Surest and Heaviest Bearing Apple

"Finest Flavored Apple in All the World" said Luther Burbank

Stark Golden Delicious is the WORLD'S CHAMPION yellow apple. And how it bears! Big, luscious golden apples like the beauty shown across the page have been picked off 2 year trees all over the world.

Whether you plant one tree or a thousand, this gorgeous golden giant will prove to you—bushel for bushel and dollar for dollar—that it is the world's QUICKEST, HEAVIEST bearer.

Extra large, premium size. Rich, cream-colored flesh just bursting with luscious, vitamin-packed juice—sweet, yet spicy. As juicy as a perfectly ripened pear. Crisp crackling flesh.

This is the big, sunny-gold, peak-of-perfection apple that will bring you top prices every season. Always good. Crisp & Juicy.

"If You Have Room for Only One Tree—Make it Stark Golden Delicious," advised that great apple authority, Ben Douglas.

- **Color**—Glowing sunny Golden-Yellow, sometimes blushed with rose.
- **Size**—Extra Large, Premium Size apples often measure 4" or more.
- **Flavor**—Sweet and Delicious beyond belief, yet touched with a faint trace of sprightly and spicy acidity.
- **Ripening Season**—Ready for Picking and wonderful Eating here in Mid-West about October 15. World's youngest Bearing Apple!
- **Keeping Ability**—It is always a good, solid, crisp, juicy late-keeper—keeps till next crop of apples comes along.
- **Hardiness**—A money-maker everywhere. Does best in Zones 2, 3, 4 and 5.
- **Uses**—Eat it Fresh and you'll never get enough of its wonderful flavor—sweet, yet spicy. Fine for Sauce, mouth-watering Pies, Apple-Butter, etc. Prized for Salads because it stays fresh and tempting even long after it is sliced.
- **Dwarf Trees**—Also wonderful on Stark Hardy Dwarf Trees.



Actual Size  
Stark Golden  
Delicious (Trade-  
Mark) Apple

## PRICES A2 Stark Golden Delicious Apple Trees

	EACH RATE (1 to 9 Trees)	10-RATE (10 to 49 Trees)
5 to 7 ft. size	\$2.75 a tree	\$2.50 a tree
4 to 5 ft. size	2.50 a tree	2.20 a tree
3 to 4 ft. size	2.20 a tree	1.95 a tree

If you want 50 or more Trees  
Write for Special Prices.

(Also available in Dwarfs at \$4.00 each)

## Even Newspaper Reporter is "Stumped" to Describe Its Glorious Flavor

(From Baltimore Sun)

Attending a Horticultural Show our reporter was handed a huge, gold colored Apple and told "Here, try one of these."

This apple was clearly something special, and our correspondent, whose respect for anything edible is terrific, approached it with care.

First, he examined it—turning it this way and that to admire its opulent form, its delicate coloring.

Then, he smelled it—inhaling its rich fragrance with pleasurable anticipation.

Then, reverently, he sank his teeth into it. This apple, as he tells us, was a far cry from the ordinary apple of the marts of trade. It had a firm and agreeable texture, crisp but melting; the flavor was sweet beyond belief, yet touched with a faint trace of sprightly and spicy acidity. He says there is no English word to describe such glorious flavor, but the French would say it had "un gout relevé."

"That is a Stark Golden Delicious," he was told when he had eaten this delight-giving apple—famous for its flavor and for its fast-bearing.



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Symbol of Highest  
Quality Fruit Trees,  
Shade Trees, Flowering  
Shrubs, Roses, etc.  
for over 138 Years.



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Actual  
Size  
Stark  
Golden Delicious  
(Trade-Mark)

# The "BIG SIX"

## STARK GOLDEN DELICIOUS

Trade-Mark

Stark Golden Delicious  
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## SCARLET STAYMARED

Trade-Mark

**The Supreme Stayman Winesap! Bears Quicker. Flaming Red All Over Weeks Sooner! Stays Crisp and Juicy All Winter**

Stark Bro's paid nearly \$1,000.00 a foot for the original limb and tree of this most valuable of all the great Stayman Winesap Family! A glossy, fiery, all-over-red, with spicy, juicy, crisp flesh of "sweet but tartish" flavor. Scarlet Staymared makes handsome eating right off the tree. Champion cooks prize it for mouth-watering pies; for cobblers, dumplings just oozing with juice; for tangy apple butter and crystal-clear jelly. And for sparkling, zingy cider, it beats all other Staymens ever known. A brilliant red 30 days ahead of ripening time. One of the **biggest** of all apples. So distinctive in its flashing red color and giant size, it was awarded a U. S. Patent. Bears young, with enormous crops. For **Eating, Cooking, Cider, Market.**

"Weighed 22 Ounces"  
"We had Scarlet Staymareds that weighed 22-  
ounces each."—Frank Tracey, Ohio.

"And How It Bears"  
"Some of our 6-year Scarlet Staymareds trees bore  
14 to 16 bushels each."—Rising Springs Orchard, Ill.



Actual  
Size  
Scarlet  
Staymared  
(Trade-Mark)

PRICES on  
Opposite Page

## JONARED

Trade-Mark Reg. U.S. Pat. Off.

**Supreme—New Super Jonathan—Colors Sooner, and Keeps Longer and Bears Quicker Than Jonathan**

The big, new apple that **IMPROVES** on all of Jonathan's famous good points—and does away with the old Jonathan weak points! Jonared (for which the original tree cost us \$2,000.00) is the **ONLY** red Jonathan sport to win a U. S. Plant Patent! Turns bright, all-over-red color about 2 weeks sooner—ready to pick while still solid, before there's risk of loss through dropping. Fine pollenizer.

Jonared has all the wonderful, prized Jonathan flavor; it's big and almost **TWICE** as red—a bright, solid blazing red without one sign of stripe! One of the most beautiful of all red apples, Jonared's rich, spicy, tangy flavor makes it a delicious and handsome fruit for your Home Orchard and a premium-price profit builder in every section. In great demand for **Eating, Cooking, Cider, Market.** Trees thrive in North, Central, South..

"\$10.00 Worth Per Tree From 4-Year-Olds"  
"I wish you could have seen my 4-year-old  
Jonared trees this year. They bore nearly  
\$10.00 worth per tree."—John Cruttenden, Ill.

"Jonareds Sold For Twice the Price"  
"Jonareds made a good crop of fine colored  
all-over-red apples that sold for twice the price  
of regular Jonathans."—John Widner, Mo.



Actual  
Size  
Jonared  
(Trade-Mark)

PRICES on Opposite Page

## STARK Double-Red ROME BEAUTY

Trade-Mark

**Stark New Double-Red Rome Beauty is the Largest, Reddest Strain. World's Best Baking Apple**

The triumphant answer to the demand for a big, flashing all-over-red Rome Beauty Apple that keeps firm and juicy all winter long. One of the latest keepers of all apples—in good condition when apples come again. Hotels and Restaurants eagerly pay premium prices for Stark Double-Red Rome Beauty Apples for appetizing Baked Apples, Pies and Desserts. Popularity is growing every year as growers acclaim it one of the surest, youngest bearers and biggest money makers! Trees Thrive North, Central, South.

"One of Most Valuable of 50 Varieties"  
"I am sending you sample of Stark Double-Red Rome  
Beauty, one of the most valuable of 50 varieties. Good  
pollenizer. Annual keeper—commencing at young age.  
One of the best keepers. So attractive it sells well."  
L. L. Clinton, N.Y.

"Best Red Rome"  
"Your Stark Double-Red rome Beauty is best of all  
Romes tested here. Uniform in size and the color is  
always perfect."—W. S. Blair, Supt. Dominion Farms,  
Nova Scotia.

"Late Spring Bloomer—Skips Frosts—  
Bears Every Year"  
"Very best apple for this climate. Bears annually.  
Blooms late and frosts do not greatly affect its bearing  
qualities."—F. M. Jones, Santa Fe Co., New Mexico.

"Brings Highest Prices"  
"I planted the first Stark Double-Red Rome Beauties  
in Colorado. Am now getting \$3.00 to \$3.50 a bushel."  
—W. S. Coburn, Colorado State Board of Horticulture.



Actual  
Size Stark  
Double-Red  
Rome Beauty  
(Trade-Mark)

**Genuine Trees of the "BIG SIX" Apple Leaders of the World are Sold ONLY by Stark Bro's, Louisiana, Mo.**



# Leaders of the Apple World!

## STARKING DELICIOUS

Trade-Mark. Reg. U.S. Pat. Off.

### America's Most Valuable, Most Deliciously Flavored Red Apple

Here is the **FINEST** red apple in the whole wide world! — the shining, solid-ruby-red giant that glows on the counters of the highest-price luxury stores in America and floods the air with its wine-like perfume. Here is the **MASTER** apple that puts the crowning glory on the nation's most expensive baskets of fruit—the "dream" eating apple prized above all others in deluxe clubs, fine hotels and restaurants throughout the land. The apple which has **NEVER** been equalled for magnificent color, mammoth size, crackle-crisp flesh, deeply exciting sugar-n-spice flavor as tantalizing as the fragrance of an old-fashioned garden!

And this is the apple, the matchless **STARKING DELICIOUS**, that **YOU** can grow right in your own back yard!

For commercial growing, Starking Delicious is the world's most popular and most profitable red apple. In the past 25 years this one variety has built some of the greatest fruit fortunes in America. Because it turns full-red before it ripens, it can be picked crisp, for late keeping—becomes "money-in-the-bank" for you weeks sooner—keeps perfectly right through the Winter months. All ready to cash in on fancy Spring prices long after ordinary apples have disappeared from the market. The world's finest red eating apple. Tops in all quality markets. America's best red money-maker, producing big money crops everywhere—North, Central, South.



**"THEY PUT ME ON EASY STREET"**  
(Photo at left)

"When I planted 250 Starking Delicious Apple trees I was heavily in debt on a small farm, but in a short time these trees began to bear and in no time at all they put me on 'easy street'—making me \$3,000.00 to \$6,000.00 per year. Not a bad income for an old man 80 years old. When I say apples, I consider Starking Delicious the finest in the world."—J. E. Parish, Calif.

### "BORE 4 TIMES WHAT I EXPECTED"

"Last year I harvested a big crop of Starking Delicious Apples. I was never so gratified in the quantity produced, the excellent color and size of the fruit and also in the price—\$3.70 a bushel right at the orchard.

"When I first started to pick these Starking Delicious I thought I would have about a carload—500 bushels—but I picked four cars of them, totaling 2,000 bushels.

"When the buyer had his last bushel loaded on the truck he patted me on

the back and said 'I sure got a bargain in those apples—you should have got \$4.00 for every bushel of them—because every bushel of them is Extra Fancy'."—Paul Ringhausen, Calhoun County, Illinois.

### "SAVED US DURING DEPRESSION"

"I have 165 trees of Starking Delicious purchased from you which really saved the day for us during depression years. This small block (2½ acres) grossed me \$17,350.00 the last 6 years."—A. Miller, Ore.



Actual Size  
Starking  
Delicious Apple  
(Trade-Mark Reg. U.S. Pat. Off.)

### "Got \$5.00 a Bushel for My Apples — \$2,229.80 from 2 Acres of Stark Trees"

Walter H. Atherton of N. M. told us that he sold a \$2,229.80 crop from his 2 acres of Stark Apple Trees this year. He said his local stores paid him \$5.00 a bushel for his No. 1's and that each tree bore over \$30.00 worth of fruit.

### 10 BU. FROM 7-YEAR TREE

"About 7 years ago I planted 2 Starking Delicious and 2 Stark Golden Delicious trees. They bore the 4th year and this year my best Golden Delicious had 10 bushels. My Starking Delicious were not quite so prolific, but I had plenty that measured 12" in circumference.

"Mississippi may not be an apple state, but if anyone will plant Stark trees and care for them, they will never be disappointed."—Douglas D. Weeks, Miss.

### "WINS SWEEPSTAKES"

"Starking Delicious won Sweepstakes at Canadian Royal Winter Fair and in addition won First, Second, Third Prizes." Canadian Horticulture Magazine.

### 50% HIGHER PRICE

"My Starking Delicious trees which started bearing when they were 3 years are loaded again.

"One of these trees bore 11½ bushels. Starking Delicious is a keeper and the tree is surely a young and heavy annual bearer. Apples bring me 50% more than Delicious."—F. M. Simon, Ohio.

### \$1,020.18 Worth of Apples From \$2.50 Stark Tree

"In 1921 my father and mother sent you their picture standing beside a 3-year-old Stark Golden Delicious apple tree bearing 1½ bushels of big golden apples.

"Here is a picture of me standing beside that same tree in 1948 from which my son has just picked over 19 bushels of big, juicy apples. We estimate that we have harvested about \$1,020.18 worth of Apples from this one tree that cost my father only \$2.50. I might add that we were very conservative in making this estimate." A. Johnson-Mapes (Daughter Albert Johnson, Ore.)

Also Available in **STARK HARDY DWARF TREES** at \$4.00 Each

## PRICES "Big Six" Apple Trees

STANDARD Size Trees

Please order by name and number.

		EACH RATE (1 to 9 Trees)	10 RATE (10 to 49 Trees)
A2 Stark Golden Delicious			
A1 Starking Delicious			
A4 Scarlet Staymared			
A3 Jonared	5 to 7 ft. size	\$2.75 a tree	\$2.50 a tree
A6 Stark RedGold 50c a tree Extra	4 to 5 ft. size	\$2.50 a tree	\$2.20 a tree
A8 Stark Dbl. Red Rome Beauty	3 to 4 ft. size	\$2.20 a tree	\$1.95 a tree

"Big 6 Leader Assortment" at Money-Saving Price Offered on Page 5.

If you want 50 or more Trees, Write for Special Prices

## STARK REDGOLD

U.S. Plant Patent No. 720—Trade-Mark

**NEW—U. S. Patent Apple—Red Hybrid of Stark Golden Delicious—Rivals Its Parent in Flavor and Young Bearing. We Paid World's Highest Price of \$7,500.00 for This Amazing Apple!**

Weeks ahead of Delicious, and before Jonatan reaches prime eating condition, you can smack your lips over the pure deliciousness of Stark **REDGOLD**! This new apple sensation blends the rich Starking flavor and spicy tang of Stark Golden Delicious. And its trim shape, flashing solid scarlet color, make it so beautiful you'll be proud to say it grows on your property!

When other apples are still too tart or starchy to eat, RedGold—the first high-quality winter dessert apple to develop full

flavor—will be ready for you to pick. Bears amazingly young. Just 13 months after first test graft was set in our Test Orchards, RedGold bore its first fruit. Late spring bloomer, sure bearer.

Stark Bro's gladly paid the famous originator, Mr. F. A. Schell, \$7,500.00—a World's Record Apple Price—for sole ownership of this sensational variety. You'll see why when you raise RedGold for Early Eating, Roadside and Holiday Markets! **NNCS.**



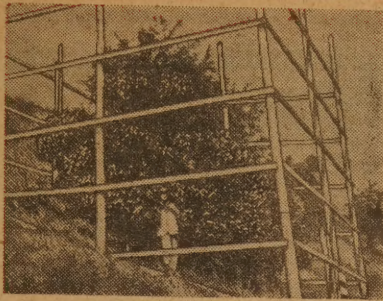
Actual Size  
Stark RedGold  
Apple  
U. S. Plant  
Patent No. 720  
PAGE FIVE

If You Want 50 or More Trees, Write Our Wholesale-Commercial Dept. for Special Quantity Prices.



# STARK "RECORD-BEARING STRAIN" TREES

TRADE-MARK



EACH STARK TREE HAS A FAMOUS "PARENT"—Every fruit tree sold by Stark is propagated direct-in-line from THE FINEST TREE OF THAT VARIETY WE COULD LOCATE IN THE ENTIRE UNITED STATES—a tree with a known record of superior accomplishment.

## Assure You Trees That Bear Years Quicker—Bear Larger Fruit—More Delicious Fruit—Bear Far Heavier

After generations of research and the expenditure of thousands of dollars, we now propagate all our varieties direct in line from exclusive Stark Improved World's Champion "Record-Bearing" Strain Parent Trees.

Prof. A. D. Shamel, in charge U. S. Fruit Improvement Investigations, says:

"The work of searching out valuable new improvements and superior fruit variations is of great value to the fruit industry. These improvements in color, size and increased production can unquestionably be reproduced from these known superior strains and will result in better fruit and more profit for fruit growers."

Leading Horticulturists, when planting their own orchards, prefer trees they know have been propagated from trees of known superior records. For instance, Prof. Greene, for years Chief Horticulturist of Ohio Experiment Station, stated:

"If I were planting an orchard myself, I would prefer that the nursery stock I used would be propagated from trees of known records."

Every Stark Tree is now a "Record-Bearing" Strain Tree, and back of it is our Parent Tree with a known record of superior accomplishment.

In other words, every variety of fruit we now grow is propagated direct-in-line from the very finest tree of that variety we could locate in the entire United States—a Parent Tree that has an outstanding record for heavier bearing, or younger bearing, or larger sized fruit, or better colored fruit, or a combination of these superior characteristics.

Our "Record-Bearing" Strains are the best insurance of success a planter can buy—yet these better trees cost little more than ordinary trees propagated from scions cut promiscuously from unknown parents.

"In my 10-acre Stark Demonstration Orchard the apples sold for as much as \$65.00 per tree. Fully 1/2 of the crop is sold a whole year ahead."

Montie Hammell, Ind.

## Stark Exclusive LEADER Apples

Genuine "Record-Bearing Strain" Oak Process Trees.

PRICES	EACH RATE		10 RATE	
	1 to 9 Trees		10 to 49 Trees	
5 to 7 ft. Size	\$2.75 a Tree		\$2.50 a Tree	
4 to 5 ft. Size	\$2.50 a Tree		\$2.20 a Tree	
3 to 4 ft. Size	\$2.20 a Tree		\$1.95 a Tree	

### Listed in Order of Ripening

Each Variety is Pictured and Described Below.

- A201. Stark Earliest—50c a tree Extra.
- A203. Stark JonGrimes.
- A6. Stark RedGold—50c a tree Extra.
- A5. Jonared—Double-Red Jonathan.
- A1. Starking Delicious.
- A8. Stark Dbl.-Red Rome Beauty.
- A208. York-A-Red.
- A2. Stark Golden Delicious.
- A1. Scarlet Staymared.

### STARK CRAB APPLES

Prices Above

- A206. Virginia — Valuable Red Blushed Crab. Beautiful golden yellow, brightly blushed with carmine. Ripens in September. Flesh firm, fine-grained. Pleasant to eat raw, favorite for pickles and preserves. Extremely hardy.
- A205. Stark Florence — "Worth all other Red Crabs put together." Most beautiful, most prolific and most valuable Crab. Fruit bright ruby and crimson. Makes delicious sauce. The housewives' favorite for jelly, jam, preserves and cider. Tree spreading. Valuable for ornamental lawn tree and for fillers. Extremely hardy.
- A207. Dolgo—For pickles, jelly. White blooms.
- A216. Whitney—Large size. An old favorite.

## SAVE 25% ON EXPERTS' CHOICE ASSORTMENT

Assortment No. 1

**ONLY \$30** { Regular Price \$40.55 } **for**  
Ripening Early to Late  
Large 4 to 5-ft. Size

Stark Golden Delicious (Trade-Mark)

Starking Delicious Reg. U.S. Pat. Off.

Jonared (Trade-Mark) Reg. U.S. Pat. Off.

Stark Red-Gold U.S. Plant Patent No. 720 Trade-Mark

Early Red Bird (Trade-Mark)

Yellow Transparent (Trade-Mark)

Double-Red Rome Beauty (Trade-Mark)

Scarlet Staymared (Trade-Mark)

Wealthy Double-Red (Trade-Mark)

ASSORTMENT NO. 1 — "BIG 6" WINTER APPLES

### WINTER APPLES "BIG 6" LEADER ASSORTMENT NO. 1

**ONLY \$11.63** Regular Price \$15.50 **YOU SAVE \$3.87**

### STARK "BIG 6" LEADER APPLES

Just Write Assortment 1, \$11.63, on Order Blank. No Changes in Varieties Permitted.

- 1 (A1) STARK GOLDEN DELICIOUS (Trade-Mark). "Finest flavored apple in all the world," said Luther Burbank. Youngest bearing apple. Rich, juicy, spicy flavor that commands top prices everywhere. Many bear big apples at 3 years old, some bear at 2 years.
- 1 (A3) JONARED. (Trade-Mark Reg. U.S. Patent Off.). New Double-Red Jonathan. Same spicy, rich flavor that made Jonathan one of America's most popular apples, plus brilliant, fiery red color. 2 weeks sooner. Avoids dropping. Keeps longer. Makes bigger profits for growers.
- 1 (A8) DOUBLE-RED ROME BEAUTY (Trade-Mark)—A big, flashing all-over-red apple—keeps firm and juicy all winter. One of the youngest bearers, surest bearers, longest keepers and biggest money makers. More popular every year. Ideal for baking and cooking.
- 1 (A2) STARKING DELICIOUS (Trade-Mark Reg. U.S. Pat. Off.). "World's finest-flavored red apple." Large, beautiful, ideal shape. Amazing color improvement of Stark Delicious. Can be picked blood red while still hard, to keep crisp and juicy until late Spring.
- 1 (A6) STARK REDGOLD. U. S. Plant Patent No. 720. New Red Hybrid of Stark Golden Delicious. We paid World-Record Price of \$7,500.00 for it. Rivals its famous parent, Stark Golden Delicious, in young-bearing and delicious flavor. Ready to eat just before Jonathan.
- 1 (A4) SCARLET STAYMARED (Trade-Mark). New profit-maker. Wonderful flavor—long keeper. A Stayman Winesap plus bright flashing all-over-red which brings higher prices.

Also in Super-Size **ONLY \$12.75**

If Over 50 Apple Trees Are Wanted, Write for Prices

### SUMMER APPLES "SELEC

**ONLY \$8.78** Regular Price

### SUMMER APPLES

Just Write Assortment 3, \$8.78 on Order

- 1 (A5) EARLY RED BIRD (Trade-Mark). Very early apple. Strikingly beautiful. Fiery, flaming scarlet red. Good size. Ripens 7 to 10 days earlier than Yellow Transparent. Tree Vigorous, Strong, Spreading, Hardy. Bears young and produces tremendous annual crops.
- 1 (A9) YELLOW TRANSPARENT. Very Early.—Crisp white flesh. Juicy, sprightly flavor. An old favorite. Excellent for culinary uses and fair for eating fresh.
- 1 (A202) WEALTHY, Double-Red (Trade-Mark). Best Fall Apple. Hardy. Fine West, North, East, South. Everywhere the best of its season. Bears extremely young and every year. Long lived. Fruit brilliant flashing red. Medium to large. Quality superb. Wonderful wine-like flavor. Twice as red as old Wealthy.

Also in Super-Size

If Any Variety Is Exhausted, Our Experts



## Stark SELECTED Apple Trees

Genuine "Record-Bearing Strain Old Oak Process" Trees.

### PRICES

	EACH RATE	10 RATE
	1 to 9 Trees	10 to 49 Trees
5 to 7 ft. Size...	\$2.20 a Tree...	\$1.95 a Tree
4 to 5 ft. Size...	\$1.95 a Tree...	\$1.70 a Tree
3 to 4 ft. Size...	\$1.70 a Tree...	\$1.45 a Tree

#### Listed in Order of Ripening

- A5. Early Red Bird—Pictured and described below.
- A9. Yellow Transparent—Pictured below.
- A200. Lodi, Early Golden—Pictured and described below.
- A225. Early McIntosh—Solid red color. Has McIntosh size, color and flesh characteristics. Ripens 10 to 15 days after Yellow Transparent.
- A204. Summer Champion—Pictured below.
- A202. Wealthy, Double-Red—Pictured below.
- A19. McIntosh, Double Red—Pictured and described below.
- A7. Grimes Golden, Dbl-Life—Pictured below.
- A211. Northern Spy, Double-Red—This new bud sport a true Northern Spy but with deep solid red color without either stripes or spashes. Size is large, flesh is crisp, firm and juicy. Popular flavor.
- A220. Turley Winesap—Large, highly colored apple of the Winesap type and season. Larger and better flavored. Deep red in color. Keeps till late Spring in storage.
- A219. Cortland, A Late McIntosh—Pictured below.
- A11. Stark Winesap—New Big Red Strain—Pictured and described below.

## Stark "Old Oak Process" Whole-Root Trees

TRADE-MARK

**These Big-Rooted Trees Bear Younger. Bear Bigger Crops. Bear Bigger Fruit. Live Longer.**

"Old Oak Process" (Trade-Mark) is a symbol of Stark Trees grown on Special Hardy Roots by a Stark Process that makes them so hardy and husky that they are "As Sturdy as an Oak"—though not on oak roots. This Trade-Mark has been Registered in the U. S. Patent Office and is owned exclusively by Stark Bro's Nurseries — the Only Nursery in the World that can Supply genuine OLD OAK PROCESS WHOLE-ROOT Trees.

The vital part of a tree is not the top. You can grow a new top, but you cannot change the roots. The original root system remains—and it will always determine the health and bearing power of the tree. Piece-root trees are slow growing—are easy prey to insects and diseases. They are easily blown over because they have no big brace roots to hold them firmly in the ground.

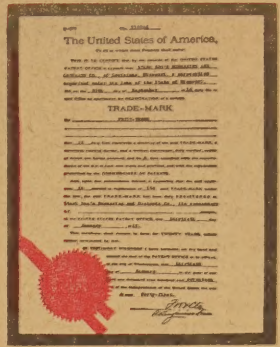
The tree that has big, strong, vigorous roots quickly extends its root system downward and in all directions—takes a firm grip

on the soil—eagerly sucks up strength from the earth—shoots upward like a husky, healthy, outdoors boy—comes into full bearing years before the weak piece-root tree and lives and bears big crops, long after the piece-root weakling has been cut up for wood.

Buy no trees that give you anything less than OLD OAK PROCESS Whole Roots. The vitals, life and foundation of your trees—your profits from them year in and year out—depend on the roots. Big-rooted Stark OLD OAK PROCESS Trees bear younger and heavier—bear bigger fruit and live longer—because they have the healthiest, strongest foundations known in the world of horticulture. They are the foundation of most of the great orchards in this country. They have founded the fortunes of many of the most prosperous fruit growers in America.

Stark "Old Oak Process" Whole-Root Trees are Sold ONLY by Stark Bro's.

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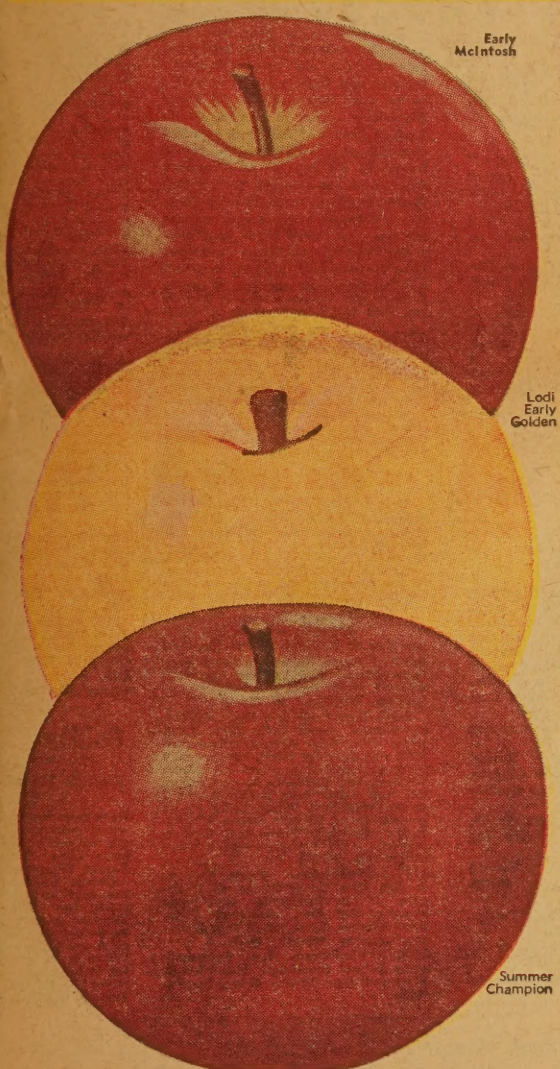


Only from Stark Bro's can you get genuine "Old Oak Process" Whole-Root Trees.

## NTS—18 BEST HOME AND MARKET APPLES

Assortment No. 2

**All 3 Assortments You Save \$10<sup>55</sup>**  
—Trees All Top Quality  
—With 3-Year Roots



ASSORTMENT No. 2—SPECIAL "SELECT 6" APPLES

### T 6" ASSORTMENT NO. 3

\$11.70 YOU SAVE \$2.92

#### "SELECT 6"

Blank. No Changes in Varieties Permitted.

- (A225) EARLY MCINTOSH—Early Summer. Solid Red Color. Truly an early McIntosh with McIntosh size and color, flavor and flesh characteristics. Ripens 10 to 15 days after Yellow Transparent.
- 1 (A200) LODI, EARLY GOLDEN. Early Summer apple. Quick bearing. Blight resistant improvement over Yellow Transparent. Fruit much larger. Bears younger. Uniform conic shape. Heavy cropper. Young bearer.
- 1 (A204) SUMMER CHAMPION. Most beautiful, best quality, largest and best shipper of all Late Summer Apples. Heavy bearer. Young bearer. Hardy. Fruit big, handsome, brilliant red blushed. Keeps well. Mtn. Grove Experiment Station reports: "Good color, uniform size. Bears regularly and heavily."

### FALL & WINTER APPLE ASSORTMENT NO. 2

ONLY \$10.84 Regular Price \$14.45 YOU SAVE \$3.61

#### SPECIAL "CHOICE 6" APPLES

Just Write Assortment 2—\$10.84, on Order Blank. No changes in Varieties Permitted.

- 1 (A208) YORK-A-RED. U. S. Patent. Best of all York Imperial Red Sports. Solid red color. Tree vigorous. Hardy, heavy bearer. A great favorite with commercial growers. Fruit large, crisp, firm. Very late keeper.
- 1 (A7) GRIMES GOLDEN, "Double-Life" (Trade-Mark). Parent Tree averaged 40 bushels for 14 years. Hardy Tree. Long lived. Famous spicy Grimes Golden Apple for over 50 years the Queen of Quality. Medium size, beautiful golden yellow. Conical shape. Alluring flavor surpassed only by Stark Golden Delicious.
- 1 (A4) SCARLET STAYMARED (Trade-Mark). New profit-maker. Wonderful flavor—long keeper. A Stayman Winesap plus bright flashing all-over-red which brings higher prices.
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- 1 (A203) STARK JON-GRIMES. U. S. Patent Apple. New. Sure bearer. Large, high quality late summer apple. Regular and heavy bearer. Excellent for eating and cooking.

Also in Super-Size ONLY \$11.96

Sorry. No Changes in Assortments.

ONLY \$9.90

Will Select a Variety of Equal or Greater Value.











STARK  
SECKEL

LINCOLN

BARTLETT

GRAND CHAMPION

# PEARS Selected and Perfected for You by Stark

## STARKING DELICIOUS Sensational New U. S. Patent Pear — See Page 3.

**Stark Seckel** Sugar Pear. Late Summer. Every Family Needs Seckel. In Stark Seckel we offer you the acme of Pear perfection. Medium size. Flavor is spicy and sweet. Tree hardy. Resistant to blight. Eating, Desserts, Canning. NCS.

**Duchess** (Angouleme) Fall. Favorite of Housewives. Finest Fall Pear for Midwest. Best Variety to Grow as Dwarf Tree. A huge Pear—often weigh over a pound each. Excellent Eating, Canning, Preserves. NCS.

**Buerre Bosc** Winter. Distinctive Long-Necked Pear—Popular. A pear that is popular everywhere. Exquisite quality. Fruit large, juicy and extra sweet. Eating, Cooking, Market. NCS.

**Stark Tyson** First Pear Ripe. Ideal Blight-Free Tree. A Summer Seckel. This delicious Pear is just like Stark Seckel. Very early. Hardy. Blight-Free. Eating, Canning, Desserts. NCS.

**BARTLETT** Summer — One of the Best Pears for Eating and Canning. Stark Improved Strain. Bartlett is a favorite everywhere—probably the most popular, most widely planted of all pears.

A beautiful pear—large in size, golden yellow with soft blush when fully ripe. Quality is superb—juicy and melting, with a rich flavor. A great favorite for Eating Fresh, Canning and Shipping. NCS.

**Fame** (Trade-Mark) Delicious, Hardy. Best Performance when Grown as Dwarf Tree. Young-Bearing. Trees sold ONLY by Stark. An ideal Pear to add beauty and mouth-watering fruit to your garden. Resembles Bartlett — earlier. Hardy. Quick bearer. Eating, Canning. NCS.

**DWARF PEARS** We can supply following varieties in Dwarf Trees at Prices below:

A321 Starking Delicious***	\$10 Ea.	A318 Fame***	\$4 Ea.
A320 Anjou**	\$4 Ea.	A309 Lincoln***	\$4 Ea.
A308 Bartlett**	\$4 Ea.	A317 Stark Seckel**	\$4 Ea.
		A319 Duchess*	\$4 Ea.

**GRAND CHAMPION** U. S. Pl. Pat. No. 585. Delicious as Bartlett. Ripens 2 to 3 Weeks Later. When your teeth sink into a gorgeous, golden-russet Grand Champion Pear, with its mellow, sweet, juicy white flesh—and your nose drinks in its bubbly fragrance—you've found the Pear you've always dreamed of growing!

Grand Champion, U. S. Patent, is a true limb-sport of the luscious Gorham. Heavy bearer. Size, shape and flavor closely resemble Bartlett, but ripens in the Fall, 2 to 3 weeks later. Eating, Cooking, Canning, Market. NCS.

**Anjou** Late Fall. Succeeds Everywhere. Famous for Rich Flavor. Rich flavored, large pear that succeeds in all sections. Resists blight. For Eating Fresh, Canning, Preserves, Market. NCS.

**Kieffer** Winter—Favorite in South. Does Not Blight. A large, rich yellow Winter Pear. Fine for Canning, Baking, Preserves—only fair to eat fresh. NCS.

**LINCOLN** (Trade-Mark). Very Hardy—Productive. One of the finest summer pears especially adapted for the Middle West. Rich Golden Yellow with a pink blush—large size—delicious quality to give full flavor weeks earlier. Trees are healthy, vigorous and highly productive and have given an outstanding account of themselves east of the Rockies and West of the Appalachian Mountains. Lincoln is ideal for Home Orchards. Big crops in late summer. Extra size, luscious quality, picture-book beauty. Eating, Cooking, Canning, Market. NCS.

### PRICES—PEAR TREES

STANDARD SIZE TREES	EACH RATE (1 to 9 Trees)	10 RATE (10 to 49 Trees)
5 to 7 ft. size....	\$3.50 a tree	\$3.20 a tree
4 to 5 ft. size....	3.20 a tree	2.95 a tree
3 to 4 ft. size....	2.95 a tree	2.75 a tree

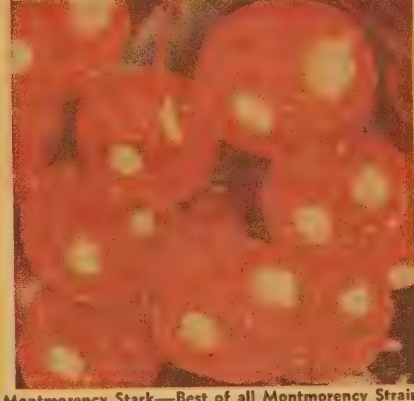
A133 Anjou (Nov.)\*\* A35 Kieffer (Oct.)\*\*\*  
A34 BARTLETT (Sept.)\*\* A33 Lincoln (Sept.)\*\*\*  
A136 Buerre Bosc (Oct.) A36 Stark Seckel (Oct.)\*\*  
A135 Duchess (Oct.)\*\* A134 Stark Tyson (Aug.)\*\*  
A131 FAME (Oct.)\*\*\* 25c Ea. A142 Starking Delicious Pear  
A132 Grand Champion\*\*\* (Oct.) U. S. Pl. Pat. No. 585.—50c Extra. Tree.



Starking Hardy Giant—Hardest Red Sweet Cherry.



Stark Gold—Hardest Yellow Sweet Cherry



Montmorency Stark—Best of all Montmorency Strains

# CHERRIES—Newest, Hardest, Heaviest Bearing Champions

## STARKING Hardy Giant

Trade-Mark Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.

U. S. Pl. Pat. No. 764

At last, a giant hardy red teammate for Stark Gold. Trees bear immense clusters of huge, gorgeous dark-red cherries. Flavor is so full and rich, flesh so firm and crisp, you can't get enough of this superb eating. Ripe about 2 weeks after Strawberries. Bore big crops even where Sweet Cherries never bore before. Grand for Eating, Cooking, Freezing, Canning, Market. NNCS.

• **BURBANK'S BLACK GIANT** Trade-Mark. New, Sugary Sweet and Delicious. One of the finest all 'round Sweet Cherries ever created. Burbank's own description makes you want to bite right into its tempting deliciousness! "Firm, deep blackish crimson—sugary sweet and delicious. Bore even after 26 below." Fine for Eating, Cooking, Canning, Market. NCS.

• **BURBANK HONEY-HEART** (Trade-Mark) New. A Big Sweet Cherry—often an inch in diameter. Golden-yellow, almost completely overspread with bright-red when fully ripe. Crisp, juice-laden, delicious flesh. Very Early One of Burbank's youngest, heaviest producing Sweet Cherries. NCS.

• **STARK LAMBERT**—Extra Hardy Strain. A beautiful big black Sweet Cherry—one of the largest, glossiest and handsomest of all dark-colored Sweets, and Stark Strain is one of the Hardest. Flesh is purplish-red, crisp and delicious. Firm meaty and juicy with a sweet rich flavor that wins friends at first taste. Fruit sets in great loose clusters—often a dozen or more cherries to a single fruit spur. For delicious Eating, Desserts Freezing, Canning, and Markets. NCS.

• **BLACK TARTARIAN IMPROVED.** Hardy, Sweet, (Deacon Strain). Favorite dooryard and roadside market Sweet Cherry. Not as large as some giant Sweets, but its purple-red, rich-flavored flesh—firm and crisp yet juicy—plus its heart shape and glossy rich color—delight the eyes and palate! Among the earliest to ripen. Good for shipping and canning, one of best for Eating Fresh Desserts. NCS.

• **RAINBOW STRIPE**—Sweet Yellow Lambert—Trade-Mark. Unique Bud-Sport of Stark Lambert. A huge, beautiful creamy yellow Sweet Cherry with a narrow ruby-red stripe from stem to tip. Fruit has all the delicious, firm, meaty, rich sweet flesh that makes Stark Lambert so popular. Tree Hardy, big crops. NCS.

• **NAPOLEON** Ann — Stark Hardy Strain. Extra large Sweet Cherry. Golden Yellow, overspread with coral-red. Beautiful! Flavor rich and sweet. Flesh firm, juicy, crisp. Keeps well. Ships beautifully. Trees bear young and bear big crops. NCS.

• **BING** Old Favorite Sweet Cherry. One of the most delicious dark red Sweet Cherries. Very large—often an inch in diameter. Flesh purplish red with beautiful red juice. Firm, Meaty, Crisp and Sweet. A favorite in Home and Commercial orchards on Pacific Coast and profitable in all sweet Cherry sections. Fine for Eating, Cooking, Canning, Freezing and Markets.

• **MONTEARLY CHERRY**, Trade-Mark. Montearly will give you Cherries for pies, cobbler, tarts, canning and freezing earlier than any other cherry. Ready for home and market 2 weeks before Montmorency. Color is deep, rich wine with glorious deep-red juice. Sweet and meaty. Good shipper. Bore at 1 year. "My 1-year Montearly and Stark Gold bore fruit at 1 year." Fred Tim. Minn. NCS.

• **SUDA HARDY** is the Late Dark-Red Morello Type Cherry to give you wine-red pies, cobbler and sauce late in the season. Tree is Hardy and produces big crops. Ripe about 10 days after Montmorency Stark. Fine for Cooking, Canning, Market. NCS.

• **DYHOUSE**—Tart. Ripe a week before Early Richmond, larger. Best Very Early except Montearly. Extra hardy Young. Heavy Bearer. NCS.

• **WINDSOR** — Stark Record-Bearing Strain. Dark red sweet cherry. Extra hardy. Ships well, sells well on all markets. NCS.

## MONTMORENCY STARK

Trade-Mark.

Extra Large Red Pie Cherry. For over 20 years, many have called Montmorency Stark the World's Best Pie and Canning Cherry. When fully ripe it's sweet—a favorite with the children. Extra large, brilliant red! A strong grower, Hardy, and a sure and young bearer. Top favorite for Eating, Cooking, Canning, Freezing, Market. NNCS.

### PRICES—Leader Cherry Trees

Genuine Stark Record-Bearing Strains	EACH RATE (1 to 9 Trees)	10-RATE (10 to 49 Trees)
4 to 6 ft. size....	\$3.95 a tree	\$3.75 a tree
3 to 4 ft. size....	3.75 a tree	3.50 a tree

Sweets \*\*\* or \*\* Best of Their Type and Season Listed in Order of Ripening

A25 Stark Gold—Trade Mark\*\*\*  
A27 Starking Hardy Giant, Pl. Pat. 764\*\*\*  
\$1 Extra  
A227 Burbank's Black Giant\*\*\*—\$1.00 Extra  
A231 Burbank's Honey-Heart, Trade-Mark\*\*\*  
A31 Stark Lambert, Hardy Certified Str.\*\*\*  
A28 Black Tartarian Imp., Deacon Str.\*\*\*  
A235 Rainbow Stripe, Trade-Mark\*\*\*  
Sour or Red Pie Cherries  
A29 Montearly—Trade-Mark\*\*\*  
A26 Montmorency Stark, Trade-Mark\*\*\*  
A230 Suda Hardy\*\*

### Stark "SELECTED" Cherry Trees

Genuine Stark Record-Bearing Strains	EACH RATE (1 to 9 Trees)	10-RATE (10 to 49 Trees)
4 to 6 ft. size....	\$3.50 a tree	\$3.20 a tree
3 to 4 ft. size....	3.20 a tree	2.95 a tree

**RED PIE CHERRIES**  
A226 Bing\* A228 Dyhouse—Early (Good Quality)\*  
A30 Napoleon (Royal Ann)\*  
A232 Schmidt's Biggareau A229 Early Richmond—(Productive)\*  
A233 Windsor

Genuine Trees of U. S. Pl. Patented and Trade-Marked Pears and Cherries Above Sold ONLY By Stark.





New STARKING DELICIOUS Plum  
STARKING (R) Delicious Plum—Pl. Pat. No. 1064



Burbank's GRAND PRIZE Prune  
Magnificent Giant Prune



Burbank's RED ACE Plum  
Bears Young. Bears Big Crops Every Year.

## PLUMS—Luther Burbank's Greatest NEW Creations

**STARKING DELICIOUS PLUM—Red Fleshed—P. Pat. No. 1064.** Trees Sold ONLY by Stark—Hardy New Plum Creation! A beautiful, big, red-fleshed Mid-Season Plum. Sparkling ruby-red flesh with a tantalizing, delicious flavor. Smooth, glossy red skin that glistens in the sun. Extra heavy bearer—loaded every year. Extremely hardy—bore so heavily after 17° zero it had to be thinned. A good shipper. A healthy, strong-growing, long-lived tree—remarkably disease-resistant. Original Tree Cost \$2,500.00. Stark Fruit Experts were so enthusiastic about the great value of Starking Delicious Plum to the Fruit Gardens and Orchards of America that we paid \$2,500.00 for the Original Tree. Its delicious flavor, beauty, great size, distinctive aroma and firm, ruby-red flesh make Starking Delicious Plum wonderful for Eating Fresh, Desserts, Canning, Shipping and Jelly. Trees Sold ONLY by Stark Bros. NCS.

**BURBANK'S ELEPHANT HEART PLUM—Trade-Mark. Red Flesh—**Imagine a Giant Plum—large, heart-shaped, dark-red beauty with ruby-red flesh. Resembles Starking Delicious Color Photo above. Mid-Season. Especially recommended for arid and semi-arid sections of the West and sandy sections of the Southeast. For better pollination and bigger crops, should be planted with other plums like Starking Delicious or Early Gold (Shiro).

Wonderful for Eating Fresh, Freezing, Canning, Market, and how it ships! Burbank's Elephant Heart Trees are sold ONLY by Stark. NCS.

**RED HEART—New. Red-fleshed Mid-summer Plum.** Redheart is a Large, New, Red-Fleshed Plum—a cross between Wickson and DuRoi. The color and shape it resembles Starking Delicious pictured above. Its delicious flesh is bright red, becoming somewhat deeper red at maturity. Fine grained. Excellent! Good keeper and shipper. Tree Hardy, Vigorous, and a heavy producer. Large fruit results from 4" spacing between plants early in season. Fine pollinizer especially for Elephant Heart. NCS.

**BURBANK'S GREAT YELLOW—Trade-Mark** Earliest of all Yellow Freestone Plums! So superior to all other yellow plums, it is virtually a new fruit! Freestone when fully ripe. Largest solid golden plum of all Luther Burbank Won-

der Creations—from 2 to 2½ in. diameter Pure yellow without a touch of blush. Sweet and mild. Wonderful for Eating, Market. NCS

**STARK GREEN GAGE PLUM—Trade-Mark—Best of All Gages!** A Mid-Season Plum as Sweet as Honey! Rich flavor, fine texture. Juicy. Beautiful roundish oval, greenish yellow plums turning golden yellow when ripe. Sometimes mottled with red. Wonderful for Eating, Sherbets, Canning, Preserving. NCS

**SANTA ROSA—Originated by Burbank.** Gold Medal Winner at Lewis & Clark Exposition. Beautiful, big, dark red Plum. Firm sweet flesh. Ships wonderfully. Hardy. Bears big crops NCS

**GOLD—Trade-Mark** We paid Burbank \$3,000.00 for Gold Plum that families all over America might enjoy it for Canning, Freezing, Butter Sauce and Jelly. Beautiful golden yellow blushed bright cherry red when ripe. Limbs literally roped with Plums. Hardy—thrives from Atlantic to Pacific. Young bearer. Ships well. Ripens Mid-Season. NCS

**STARK EARLY GOLD (Shiro)—Trade-Mark—**This Sweet and Delicious big glossy-yellow Plum is ready to eat Very Early in the season. Tree is Hardy and so prolific it sometimes needs thinning. Succeeds North. One of the best for South. Flesh tender, juicy, sweet. Fine for Eating, Jelly, Preserves. Plum Butter and Sauce and Preserves. Home and Local Market. NCS

### Burbank's GRAND PRIZE —Trade-Mark Magnificent Giant Prune

"Burbank's Grand Prize Prune is the largest and best-textured prune I have ever seen" says Homer DeVille of N. Y. State. "Immense size, many 3 inches or more in length—even bigger than you show in your catalog. Have sold these prunes on my roadside stand every year at 30c and 35c a quart, and customers can't get enough of them." Bluish-purple skin with light-blue bloom. Golden flesh—delicious, juicy, sweet. NCS.

**OMAHA—Mid-Season. Extra Hardy—**Fruit is very large—almost perfectly round. Dark rich red. Flesh is meaty, sweet and delicious. Tree Hardy and bears heavily. Fine for Cooking, Canning, Market. NNCS.

**BURBANK'S MAMMOTH CARDINAL—Trade-Mark. Wonderful New Yellow-Fleshed Plum.** Largest, best of all Luther Burbank's Red Plums—grows up to 2½ in. across. Thick, rich, semi-transparent golden yellow flesh—firm and fine-grained. Ripens Early. Hardy. Bears Fast and plenty! "Tops market—buyers grab them at 10c apiece and beg for more." NCS.

**FREESTONE. A beautiful Purple Plum!** Extra large. Freestone. A dessert plum that is growing in popularity because of its exceptional size and wonderful flavor. Tree is healthy, hardy and disease-resistant. Exceptionally young bearer. NCS

**STARK GIANT DAMSON (Big Mackay)** Trade-Mark—Largest and Best of all Damsons! Fruit deep purple, rich and juicy. Easy to grow and bears tremendous crops. Every home should have Giant Damson for Jams, Jellies, Preserves. Big profit-maker. NCS.

**STANLEY PRUNE—Stark Strain—**"Stanley prune tops all others" declares H. Burkholder, famous fruit grower, "and it bears when only 2 or 3 years old." Bears tremendous crops annually. Big market demand and housewives prefer it for Eating, Canning. NCS.

### Burbank's RED ACE Trade-Mark

#### A Sensationally Young, Heavy Bearer

Luther Burbank described Red Ace—"Big. Crimson flesh. Small seed. Sweet as sugar. Rich flavor and full of delicious juice." One of the largest of all plums. Ripe Mid-Season. A wonderful shipper! Grand for eating fresh and a winner on the market. Dwarf-growing tree. Sensationally young bearer. A big crop every year. Ideal for border and backyard planting. Hardy. NCS.

### PRICES

Stark & Burbank Best PLUMS  
Trees Sold ONLY by Stark Bros.  
Scarcely, Order Early EACH RATE 10 RATE  
Record-Bearing Strains (1 to 9 Trees) (10 to 49 Trees)  
4 to 6 ft. Size \$3.95 a tree \$3.75 a tree  
3 to 4 ft. Size \$3.75 a tree \$3.50 a tree

A24 Starking Delicious*** \$1 Ex.	A18 Great Yellow***
A19 Elephant Heart***	A127 Grand Prize**
A130 Redheart***	A129 Mammoth Cardinal**
A16 Flaming Delicious***	50c Extra
A23 Gold Plum***	C650 Purple Flame (Leah)**
\$3,000 PLUM	A128 Red Ace Semi-Dwarf 50c

Stark "SELECTED" Plants  
All Trees Genuine Stark EACH RATE 10 RATE  
Record-Bearing Strains (1 to 9 Trees) (10 to 49 Trees)  
4 to 6 ft. Size \$3.75 a tree \$3.50 a tree  
3 to 4 ft. Size \$3.50 a tree \$3.20 a tree

VERY EARLY	A22 Omaha** (Sweet, hardy)
A17 Early Gold** (Shiro)	A124 President*
	A20 STARK GREEN
EARLY	A125 Prune, Stanley*
A15 Santa Rosa*	A21 DAMSON, STARK GIANT, Big Mackay

## STARK GRAPES, RASPBERRIES, BLACKBERRIES, STRAWBERRIES

**STARK GRAPES**  
**GOLDEN MUSCAT. New. Yellow Grape.** Very large. Heavy fruit clusters filled out with large oval berries of highest quality. Originated by N. Y. Exp Station.

Ferry large, oval yellow. Flesh greenish, juicy, tender, sweet, vinous. Refreshing with Muscat flavor. Quality very good to best.

Recommended for home use, local and roadside market. Its skin may be too tender for distant shipment.

Plant is hardy, vigorous and extremely productive.

**HICKS—The Super Concord.** Larger than regular Concord. Flesh is juicy, fine grained, sweet, mild and delicious. Heavy bearer and strong grower. Ripens with or a little before Concord. Excellent for eating fresh, jellies, jams and grape juice.

**VAN BUREN—New. Earliest of All Grapes.** A deliciously flavored New Hardy Black Grape destined to be a great favorite in Home Vineyards and for Roadside and Local Markets. Looks like Concord—much Earlier and Sweeter.

**PORTLAND—Best Early White Grape.** Bunches and berries larger than any other White Grape. Quality good with a pleasing foxy flavor, honey-sweet. Vine hardy, strong growing productive. Fine for Eating, Jelly, Market.

**CONCORD—The Best-Known American Grape.** Most popular most widely planted of all Grapes. Large Quantity a good. Ripens Mid-Season. A favorite for planting in the home yard. For eating fresh, grape juice and jelly. One of the most profitable varieties for commercial growers.

**LUCILE—Mid-Season Red Grape.** A rich red grape. Good everywhere and under all conditions. Vine vigorous; heavy bearer. Fruit delicious. For eating, jelly, juice and market.

**CATAWBA—Favorite Late Red.** A favorite for eating, table, wine and champagne making. Ripens too late for Northern plantings.

**FREDONIA—New. Very Early. Blue Grape.** 3 weeks earlier than Concord. Fine flavor. Berries large, round, hang well. Flesh solid, but juicy and tender. A favorite for home use and market.

**DIAMOND—Best White Grape.** Famous early ripening white grape. Delicious quality. Flesh transparent, juicy, tender to melting. Fine grained. Aromatic. Sprightly. For eating, for grape juice, jelly and market.

**NIAGARA—The Yellow Concord.** One of the most widely planted and best known white grapes. Bunch is large. Fruit has wonderful delicious flavor. Excellent home grape.

### STARK GRAPES

**STARK DELICIOUS. Greatest of all Red Grapes. Vinos Sold ONLY by Stark Bros. (Trade-Mark).** Best red grape. Stark Delicious has become so popular that we have never been able to grow enough vines to supply the demand. Its color is so attractive, its bunch so large and handsome, the quality so delicious it brings top price.

Flavor is delightfully rich and sweet. Ripens here in September. It is one of the youngest bearers—often producing grapes on 1-year vines. Vine is hardy, healthy and produces luxuriant foliage. For eating, for table, for jelly, for grape juice, for the small town or city market. Stark Delicious is ideal.

### PRICES STARK GRAPES

100 or More Grape Vines—Write for Special Prices	
Listed in order of ripening	LARGE SIZE
	Price Per Vine 1-9 10-24 25-99 vines (vines vines)
VERY EARLY	
B815 VAN BUREN** New Blue-Black	1.25 1.00
B806 Fredonia** Blue-Black	.75 .60 .50
B808 PORTLAND** New Golden-White	1.00 .90
EARLY	
B816 Delaware Red	.75 .60 .50
B802 NIAGARA** White	.50 .40 .35
B801 DIAMOND** Golden-White	.75 .60 .50
MEDIUM	
B803 LUCILE** Red	.75 .60 .50
B821 HICKS** Big Concord	1.00 .90 .80
B800 CONCORD** Blue-Black	.35 .30 .25
B804 GOLDEN MUSCAT** Golden-White	1.25 1.00 .90
B805 WALLIS GIANT** Blue-Black	1.25 1.00
B817 STARK DELICIOUS** Red	1.25 1.00
LATE	
B807 Catawba** Red	.50 .40 .35
Asparagus and Rhubarb Prices	See Page 12.

### RASPBERRIES - BLACKBERRIES

**FLAMING GIANT RASPBERRY—Hardy.** Berries large, rich, alluring red color. Flesh is firm, making it an excellent shipper. Because of their beauty they always bring premium prices.

**MERSEAU BLACKBERRY—**Beautiful glossy black. Our best seller and a standard wherever blackberries are grown. Has the good points of the old Snyder, is larger, better quality.

### PRICES STARK BERRIES

100 or More Plants Write for Special Prices	
STARK RASPBERRIES	
B937 Bristol, Black	4.00 8.75 15.00
B929 Columbian*, Purple	3.50 7.50 12.50
B927 Logan*, Black	4.00 8.75 15.00
B923 Cumberland*, Black	3.00 6.25 10.00
B918 Cuthbert*, Red	3.00 6.25 10.00
B921 FLAMING GIANT (Ohta)* Red, Hardy	4.00 8.75 15.00
B920 Newburgh*, Red	4.00 8.75 15.00
B922 LATHAM—Redpath Strain** Red	4.00 8.75 15.00
B922 REDPATH—Improv. Latham** Red	4.00 8.75 15.00
B919 ST. REGIS* Ever-bearing, Red	3.50 7.50 12.50
B928 Sodus* New Improved, Purple	4.00 8.75 15.00
B910 Indian Summer*, Red	5.00 11.25 20.00
STARK BLACKBERRIES	
B915 EARLY HARVEST**	3.00 6.25 10.00
B914 Eldorado*	3.50 7.50 12.50
B916 MERSEAU** Best	3.50 7.50 12.50
B911 Snyder	3.00 6.25 10.00
STARK DEWBERRIES	
B925 Lucretia**	3.00 6.25 10.00
BOYSENBERRIES (Spring Shipment Only)	
B924 Boysenberry*, Regular	5.00 11.25 20.00
B926 Thornless**	7.00 15.00 25.00

### PRICES STARK STRAWBERRIES

PREPAID PRICES OCT OR SPRING DELIVERY	
Planting Distance—Strawberry plants are usually set 2 ft. apart in rows 3½ ft. apart.	
JUNE BEARERS	Plants
Armstrong	25 50 100
Bellmar	\$3.15 \$4.65 \$8.25
Blackmore	3.30 4.95 8.85
British Sovereign	2.70 3.75 5.85
Crimson Flash	4.05 6.75 11.55
Dunlap	4.95—Each Rate only
Empire	\$2.70 \$3.75 \$5.85
Fairpeake	3.15 4.65 8.25
Jumbo	3.30 4.95 8.85
Paymaster	3.30 4.95 8.85
Plantful	3.30 4.95 8.85
Polar Queen	4.05 6.75 11.55
Premier	2.85 4.05 6.30
Robinson	2.85 4.05 6.30
Vermilion	3.15 4.65 8.25

### COMPLETE JUNE STRAWBERRY GARDEN ASSORTMENT

25 Polar Queen—Early	
25 Bellmar—Early Mid-season	
25 Jumbo—Mid-season	
25 Armore—Late Mid-season	
100 Plants—for ONLY \$10.05	

### EVERBEARERS

Gem	\$3.75	\$6.00	\$10.05
Red Rich	3.75	12.75	24.75
Streamliner	3.75	6.00	10.05
Superfection	3.75	6.00	10.05
20th Century	4.95	8.25	14.55

**RED RICH—Plant Patent 993. NEW, EXCITING, DIFFERENT!** The Everbearing Strawberry that has everything! Combines finest features of parents—everbearing Wayzata and Fairfax June—to make the biggest news in Strawberries in fifty years. Unsurpassed for Freezing. Deep red clear through. Possesses an abundance of natural sugar. Solid and firm, it holds its eye-appealing beauty when thawed. So big, so red and so sweet it is the best for Desserts, Freezing and Preserves.

**20TH CENTURY—Everbearer.** Beautiful bright red berries. Delightful taste. Fine shipper. Heavy producer. Starts to bear fruit within 60 days and keeps right on until frost. A profit-maker for market growers. Supply very limited this year. Order Early.

**SUPERFECTION — Everbearer.** New Jumbo-Size Everbearing Strawberry. Fine flavor. Big crops of large honey-sweet berries. Deep-red color all the way through. Heavy bearer.





# MAKE YOUR HOME LARGE OR SMALL...A "SHOW PLACE" OF LIVING BEAUTY

A Happier Place to Live... A More VALUABLE Place, IF YOU EVER SHOULD WANT TO SELL

Please Order ALL Shrubs by Number and Name

## DWARF SHRUBS

Use Shrubs below in front of larger shrubs, low foundations, entrances.

**C513 ALMOND, Flowering**  
Grows 3 to 4 feet in height. This is one of the old fashioned favorites. Blooms in early Spring. The branches are almost entirely covered with rose-like, pink blossoms in the early Spring.  
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$2.25 each  
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.50 each

**C592 BARBERRY, Green Leaf**  
A thorny, all-purpose, compact, bushy dwarf shrub that is attractive when allowed to grow naturally to its usual height of about 3 feet or when trimmed to any desired height. Very popular for Hedges, shrub borders, foundation plantings or entrances. The small rich green leaves turn to shades of brilliant orange and scarlet in Autumn and the bright red berries hang on the bush all winter.  
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$1.20 each  
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.40 each  
See Hedge Plants for Quantity Prices

**C578 BARBERRY—Red Leaf**  
Beautiful new red-leaved sport of the Green Leaf Barberry, prized for its bright foliage. Rich, lustrous foliage the entire season. Like Green Leaf Barberry except for its bronze-red foliage.  
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$1.70 each  
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.90 each  
See Hedge Plants for Quantity Prices

**C554 CORALBERRY, Improved**  
Very attractive, low-growing shrub equally at home in deep shade or full sun. The light pink flowers in early summer are followed by clusters of large, pink berries which hang on well into the winter.  
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$1.40 each  
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.65 each

**C585 DEUTZIA, Slender**  
One of the best hardy dwarf-growing 2 to 3 ft. shrubs. Small snow-white flowers practically cover the bush in May. Attractive for bouquets. Branches arching. Useful for low foundation planting, entrances or in front of tall shrubs. Makes a beautiful low-flowering hedge.  
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$2.65 each  
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.95 each

**C532 FORSYTHIA, Showy Border**  
"Golden Bell" is the common name for all varieties of Forsythia. Great masses of bright yellow, bell-shaped flowers cover the plant for 4 to 6 weeks in March and April before leaves appear. Grows to a medium height of 4 to 6 ft. with arching branches. Use in foundation and border plantings. Its extreme hardiness and easy culture make it a top favorite. Showy Border is an improved Border Forsythia with larger blossoms, and blooms even more profusely.  
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$1.50 each  
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.75 each

**C524 NINEBARK, New Dwarf**  
An ornamental shrub which is popular for its white flowers and attractive pods which follow the flowers. Foliage is bright yellow during the summer months, changing to golden bronze-yellow in the Fall. A favorite shrub for planting around the foundation of the house and in shrub border.  
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$1.75 each  
2 to 3 foot size, 2.00 each

**C581 QUINCE, Flowering**  
Early flowering, medium height shrub, noted for its dazzling display of brilliant scarlet flowers in early Spring. Blooms remain on plant from April to May. The plant is dense, low (4 ft. high). Excellent for cutting and use in modern flower arrangements in the house. Shrub useful as specimens and in the foundation and border plantings. Glossy foliage.  
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$2.25 each  
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.75 each

**C553 SNOWBERRY, Improved**  
Sometimes called "Waxberry." Just like Coralberry above, except berries are snow-white.  
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$1.35 each  
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.60 each

**C544 SPIREA, Anthony Waterer**  
Blooms from July until frost. Bright rosy crimson flowers in clusters. Favorite for foundation planting, entrance, for edging tall shrubs and as a low blooming hedge. Dwarf grower.  
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$1.85 each  
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.10 each

**C509 SPIREA, Froebel**  
Large clusters of rosy-pink bloom similar to Spirea Ant. Waterer. Taller growing than Ant. Waterer. Blooms well, even in shady places. Excellent for low growing, untrimmed hedges, foundation and entrance plantings. Dwarf.  
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$2.00 each  
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.20 each

**C591 SWEETSHRUB, Fragrant**  
Entire plant is spicy fragrant—flowers, leaves and stems smell fresh, spicy and sweet. Vigorous grower and long-season bloomer—from early summer until frost. Large, glossy, fragrant leaves and rich maroon colored, fragrant flowers make this a very desirable shrub.  
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$2.60 each  
2 to 3 foot size, 2.90 each

## MEDIUM HEIGHT SHRUBS

Use for Foundation Planting Around House; Flowering Hedges; Groups, etc.

**C5601 ALTHEA, Assorted**  
Large single bell-shaped blossoms of Pink, Rose or Purple—darker in center. Flowers often 4 inches across. Very lovely.  
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$1.65 each  
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.75 each

**C533 ALTHEA, Crimson Eye**  
Large single bell-shaped blossoms of white with vivid deep red color at base.  
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$1.65 each  
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**ALTHEA, Double Flowering**  
Beautiful large double blossoms resembling double flowering hollyhocks.  
**C536 Double Red** **C535 Double Rose**  
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**BUTTERFLY BUSH**  
A very attractive 5 ft. bush covered with clusters of purple lilac-like flowers from July till frost. Used around foundations for specimen or border plants. Attracts butterflies. Perennial in northern sections.  
**C568 Charming (Pink)** .....\$1.75  
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**C579 Farquhar (Lavender)** .....1.50  
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**C584 DEUTZIA, Lemoine**  
Medium height very hardy shrub. Clusters of white flowers cover it in May. One of the best for foundation groups, entrances or shrub borders.  
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$2.50 each  
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.80 each

**C583 DEUTZIA, Pride of Rochester**  
Grows 4 to 6 feet in height. The white, double flowers in late Spring are tinged with pink. Especially good for borders.  
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.75 each  
3 to 4 foot size, \$3.00 each

**C586 DOGWOOD, Coral Stem**  
A tall growing shrub valued for its bright red, drooping branches which are a cascade of gold in early Spring. Especially beautiful in combination with Flowering Quince in the flowering border and in the foundation planting.  
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.50 each  
3 to 4 foot size, \$1.75 each

**C503 ELDER, Golden**  
A shrub which furnishes creamywhite blossoms for six weeks in May and June, dark blue berries in late summer and fall and an effective accent of bright yellow leaves throughout the entire season. The maximum height attained by this fairly compact bush is 6 to 8 ft.  
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.50 each  
3 to 4 foot size, 1.75 each

**C539 FORSYTHIA, Weeping**  
Like the other forsythias the long, slender, drooping branches are covered with light yellow flowers in the very early Spring before the leaves appear. The graceful, drooping branches are a cascade of gold in early Spring. Especially beautiful in combination with Flowering Quince in the flowering border and in the foundation planting.  
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.50 each  
3 to 4 foot size, \$1.75 each

**C541 HYDRANGEA, Snowhill**  
The popularity of Snowhill Hydrangea is well deserved. It is often called an "ever-bloomer" because of its long season of flowering from June to September. It is covered with large round heads of pure white flowers, often 10 inches in diameter, which resemble the old-fashioned Snowball. The plant is low growing (3 to 4 ft.), very dense and a rapid grower. It will succeed even in partial shade, as well as in full sun. Excellent plant for use near house, wall or in shrub border. Thrives everywhere.  
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$1.95 each  
2 to 3 foot size, 2.75 each

**C542 HYDRANGEA P. G.**  
Drooping and spreading. Medium tall-growing 4 to 6 ft. Very large cone-shaped clusters of white flowers turning to pink for 9 weeks beginning in July. Wide spreading dense top from one or more stems. Can be pruned to "tree-form" if desired. Makes medium to large bush, used at foundations and in yard plantings. One of the most effective uses is to plant in front of taller growing shrubs.  
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$1.95 each  
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.75 each

**C518 KERRIA, Single White**  
Also called Jetbead. This 5 to 8 ft. shrub has large, white, four-petaled flowers in April and May and scattered bloom throughout Summer and Fall. Black berries in Fall. Thrives everywhere.  
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$2.50 each  
2 to 3 foot size, 2.75 each

**C521 MOCKORANGE, Lemoine**  
Upright, Medium grower 6 to 8 ft. Small but fragrant, white bloom beginning in May and continuing four weeks. Used at foundations and in yard plantings. Fine for medium tall flowering hedge. The abundance of bloom is surpassed only by its beauty.  
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$1.25 each  
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.50 each

**C514 MOCKORANGE, Virginal**  
The "Everblooming Mockorange." This shrub is "tops" for foundation plantings, border plantings or cutting gardens. You can enjoy its glorious flowers all Spring, Summer and Fall. These waxy-white flowers are large, double and fragrant, and form handsome clusters during the

entire growing season. Their delightful fragrance adds a great deal to the Summer garden. It is invaluable for its hardiness, rapid growth and the fact that it will grow in the shade.  
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.75 each  
3 to 4 foot size, 3.00 each

**C531 PRIVET, Regel**  
An all purpose shrub. Grows to a height of 4 to 6 ft. Arching branches covered with tiny fragrant white flowers for 3 weeks in late May and early June. Attractive glossy foliage. Used at foundations and in yard plantings.  
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$1.90 each  
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.20 each

**LILAC, French Budded**  
One of the most beautiful of the flowering shrubs. Equally good planted singly, in groups of the same variety or in a combination of different varieties. Available in the following choice varieties.  
**C549 "Belle de Nancy" Lilac (Double Pink)**  
**C547 "Ludwig Spaeth" Lilac (Purp. Red)**  
**C548 "Mme. Abel Chateaufort" (Dbl. White)**  
**C546 "Pres. Grevy" Lilac (Double Blue)**  
**C549 Belle de Nancy**  
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$3.00 each  
2 to 3 foot size, \$3.25 each

**SPIREAS**  
The Spireas are very ornamental. They are usually low or medium-size shrubs with small white, pink or crimson flowers. Spireas grow in almost any moderately moist soil. Popular for borders, foundation and single plantings on the lawn.  
**C544 SPIREA, Anthony Waterer—**  
See "Dwarf Shrubs" 1st column.

**C545 SPIREA, Van Houtte**  
Improved "Bridal Wreath." The most popular, most spectacular and most widely planted of all Spireas. Clusters of small, rose-like, white blossoms transform this plant into a veritable snow-bank in June and early July. Its profusion of bloom, graceful arching branches and medium tall growing habit make Spirea Van Houtte the most popular of all flowering shrubs for foundation plantings, group and specimen plantings on lawns. Unexcelled for untrimmed flowering hedge.  
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**C575 WEIGELA, Pink**  
Profusion of trumpet-shaped pink blossoms 4 weeks' period in May and June. Compact arching top. Medium size bush—growing to a height of 4 to 6 ft. A favorite for foundation plantings, groups and for specimen plantings on the lawn.  
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.35 each  
3 to 4 foot size, \$2.70 each

**C574 WEIGELA, Red**  
Dark red bell-shaped flowers. Excellent for planting in front of taller shrubs and gives color to landscape and foundation plantings.  
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$2.50 each  
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.75 each

## SHRUB ROSES

"Few Rose lovers realize how versatile 'Shrub Roses' can be. It is difficult to understand why their value as landscape material has never been more fully appreciated."

**C590 GROOTENDORST, F. J. Rose**  
F. J. Grootendorst is one of the most popular of all Shrub Roses. It produces clusters of bright red flowers that have serrated edges. It is a vigorous grower, but can be pruned to any height. Is hardy.  
\$2.25 Each

**C517 RUGOSA ROSE**  
Also known as Japanese Rose. An invaluable Dwarf-to-Medium Height Shrub-Rose. Very hardy. Useful in foundation plantings, in front of shrub borders or as a hedge. Fragrant deep pink Roses, often 3 inches across. Large bright red berries on plant during the winter. Foliage is dark green and crinkly and is resistant to diseases and insect pests.  
\$2.25 Each

## TALL GROWING SHRUBS

Use Shrubs Below for Backgrounds, Screen Plantings, Groups, etc.

**C555 ARROWWOOD**  
Large clusters of white flowers 2 to 3 inches across in May, followed by thick clusters of blue-black berries. A favorite of Song Birds. Brilliant Fall colors. Fine plant for shady places, especially under trees. Zones 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6.  
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.50 each  
3 to 4 foot size, 2.95 each

**C570 BEAUTY BUSH**  
Gracefully arching branches form a cascade of clear pink bell-shaped blossoms from the ground up.  
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$2.00 each  
2 to 3 foot size, 2.60 each

**C573 CRANBERRY BUSH, American**  
Large flat heads of White flowers. Large Red Berries all Winter. Attract Song Birds. Bright red foliage in Fall.  
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.65 each  
3 to 4 foot size, \$3.00 each

**C538 FORSYTHIA, Fortune**  
This upright and spreading form of Forsythia grows to a height of 6 to 8 ft. It is covered with showy yellow flowers with curly petals early in the spring, even before the leaves appear. Makes most attractive mid-winter flower arrangements when stems are forced into bloom in water. A useful plant for foundation and border plantings. Will grow in either full sun or partial shade.  
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.60 each  
3 to 4 foot size, \$1.75 each

**C516 HONEYSUCKLE, Morrow**  
Upright, tall-growing—8 to 10 ft. when grown. Very attractive dark green leaves. White bloom turning to yellow 3 weeks in April and May. Red berries in summer and fall. Makes large, dense compact bush with spreading top. Used at high foundation and in yard plantings or as tall screen plantings.  
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.60 each  
3 to 4 foot size, \$1.75 each

**C512 HONEYSUCKLE, Red Tot.**  
Upright, tall-growing—10 to 12 feet. Bright rose-pink bloom 3 weeks in April and May followed by red berries in summer and fall. The most serviceable of all for tall screen planting. Also used at high foundation plantings.  
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.60 each  
3 to 4 foot size, \$1.75 each

**C523 HONEYSUCKLE, White Tot.**  
Similar to Red Tatarian Bush Honeysuckle except that the bloom is white. Most useful for dense hedge or screen.  
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.60 each  
3 to 4 foot size, \$1.75 each

**C550 LILAC, Fragrant Purple**  
Upright, tall growing 6 to 12 ft. Large fragrant blossoms in Spring. Makes large bush. Use in yard plantings and borders.  
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.00 each  
3 to 4 foot size, \$2.25 each

**C510 LILAC, Persian**  
Upright, Medium Tall growing 6 to 8 ft. Large fragrant bloom. Very graceful. Used at foundations and for cemeteries.  
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.25 each  
3 to 4 foot size, \$2.50 each

**C515 MOCKORANGE, Sweet**  
Upright—tall growing 6 to 12 feet in height. Cup-shaped flowers are large, white and very fragrant and bloom in profusion during May and June over a 4 weeks period. Makes a large bush. Used

at high foundations and in yard plantings. Fine for tall screen plantings.  
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.40 each  
3 to 4 foot size, \$1.70 each

**C576 SNOWBALL, Mam. White**  
Drooping and spreading. Tall growing 6 to 8 ft. Large ball-shaped white bloom 3 weeks in May. Foliage turns to brilliant crimson and gold in Fall. Used singly or in yard plantings. Popular for its masses of bloom in the spring and colorful foliage in the Fall.  
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.85 each  
3 to 4 foot size, \$3.10 each

**C589 REDBUD, American**  
Also called the Judas Tree. This tall growing shrub or small tree presents a striking picture, with its clusters of rosy-pink flowers, followed by large, heart shaped green leaves. A universal favorite that grows anywhere in the United States. An effective shrub for group plantings in the yard or shrub border. A Redbud tree and a bed of Crocus bring spring right into your own yard.  
3 to 4 foot size, \$3.25 each  
3 to 4 foot size, 3.95 each

**C552 TAMARIX, Koshgar**  
Adds the beauty of its fluffy pink bloom to your planting. Also fine, delicate green foliage and graceful growth. Excellent for planting at the corners of foundations, also as a specimen on the lawn. It is a favorite because its foliage has a silvery sheen.  
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.50 each  
3 to 4 foot size, \$1.75 each

**C506 WILLOW, Pussy**  
A touch of spring for your garden. This upright, tall-growing shrub is a perfect blend of muted tones, with its silvery catkins, green leaves and greenish brown bark. Blends well with more colorful shrubs such as American Redbud. Maximum height around 15 to 20 feet.  
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.95 each  
3 to 4 foot size, 2.50 each

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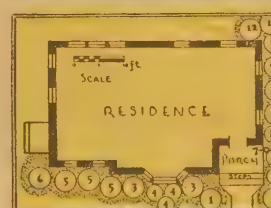
In Early Spring these little trees are bouquets of Apple and Pear Blossoms. Just as beautiful is the large golden yellow and bright red fruits that follow the blossoms.

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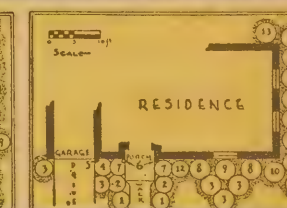
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6	1	Rose Pink Althea
7	1	Paul's Scarlet Rose
8	1	Butterfly Bush
9	1	Virginal Mockorange
10	1	Spiraea, Thunberg
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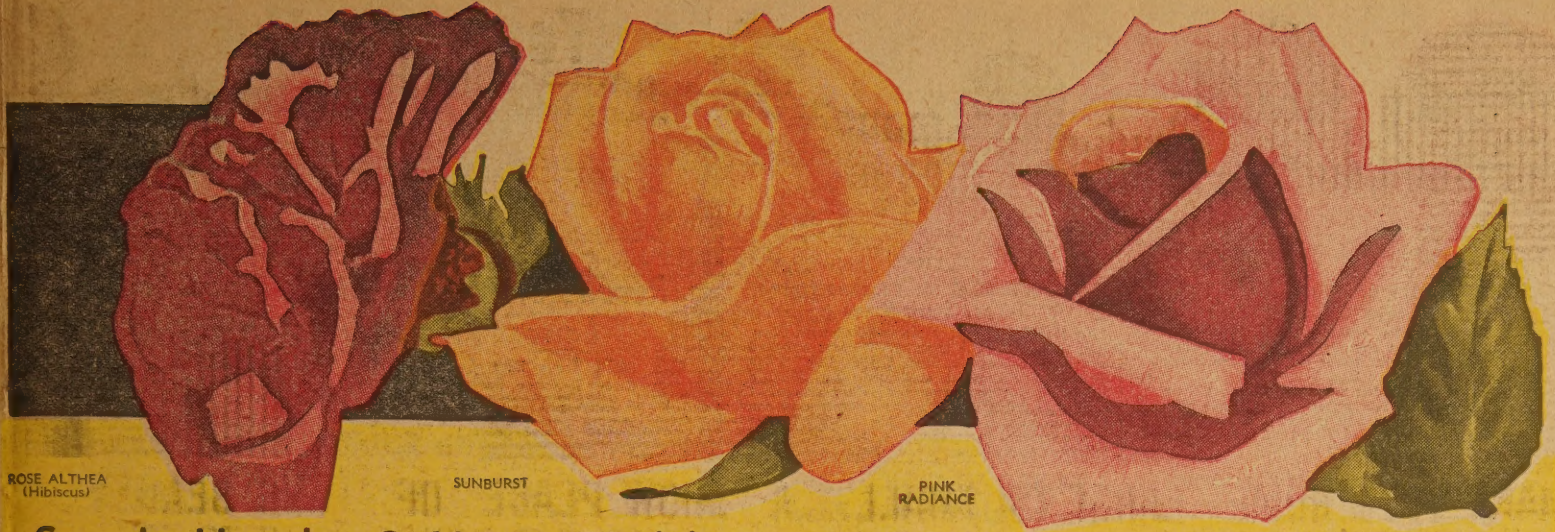
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2	1	Regel Privet
3	3	Japanese Barberry
4	2	Red Leaf Barberry
5	1	Wisteria, Purple
6	1	Paul's Scarlet Rose
7	1	Spiraea, Froebel
8	2	Snowhill Hydrangea
9	1	Snowberry
10	1	Lilac, Purple
11	2	Pink Weigela
12	3	Pink Althea
13	4	Spiraea, Vanhoutte





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## STARK ROSES

**C606 ASH, American White**  
A lofty oval-shaped specimen, which is ideal as lawn or street tree. Perfect expanse of lawn possible under this tree. Average height is 60 to 100 feet.  
5 to 6 foot size, \$3.75 each  
6 to 8 foot size, \$4.75 each

**C610 ASH, European Mountain**  
Medium size trees having clusters of white flowers in late Spring followed by showy red berries, often remaining on the tree throughout the winter. Fern-like leaves turn orange-red in the fall.  
5 to 6 foot size, \$7.95 each

**C609 BIRCH, Outleaf Weeping**  
Attractive, silvery white bark, graceful drooping branches and finely cut foliage. Effective in lawn groups.  
5 to 6 foot size, \$6.50 each  
6 to 8 foot size, \$7.50 each

**C608 BIRCH, European White**  
The delicate, flexible branches and conspicuous white bark of this attractive ornamental tree give it an individual and distinctive charm. This fine addition to landscaping grows 30 to 40 ft. high.  
5 to 6 foot size, \$5.50 each  
6 to 8 foot size, \$6.50 each

**C600 CATALPA, Umbrella**  
The unusual shape of this 8 to 12 foot tree makes it the favorite of many people. The bushy, globe-like head is borne on a straight, slender trunk. Often used for a formal effect, and is valuable where space is limited.  
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**C627 ELM, American**  
The artist's conception of the perfect tree for lawn and street planting, having a lofty, vase-shaped top, supported by strong, upright trunk and symmetrical branches. There is no tree more beautiful.  
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**C136 ELM, Chinese**  
An erect, rapidly growing tree of dense habit, reaching an average height of 50 ft. Its slender, graceful branches and exceptionally bright green, handsome foliage. This very hardy, disease-free plant is a perfect all-around tree. It will even thrive in hot, dry climate and soil. Makes a fine screen or windbreak planter.  
5 to 6 foot size, \$3.70 each  
6 to 8 foot size, \$4.20 each  
8 to 10 foot size, \$5.20 each

**C603 LOCUST, Fragrant White Flowering**  
A tree distinguished for its extreme hardiness to drought and pruning and its adaptability when transplanted. In May and June its drooping clusters of white Sweet Pea-shaped blossoms fill the air with their fragrance. Reaches height of 40 to 60 feet.  
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**C611 LOCUST, Stark Globe Head**  
A new tree similar to Umbrella Catalpa, only head is globe-shaped and gives a much more refined appearance. Dense foliage. No thorns. Ideal for entrance plantings in pairs or in informal gardens. We found this tree growing so successfully in Montana, where it was perfectly hardy at 40 degrees below zero, that we thought the rest of the country should have it also.  
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**C613 MAPLE, Purple Leaf**  
The purplish crimson foliage of this 40 to 60 foot tree emphasizes the green of the surrounding lawn. Beautifully shaped round head. Effective when used with Norway Maple.  
5 to 6 foot size, \$10.50 each  
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**C634 MAPLE, Silver**  
A picturesque, well-shaped tree with a broad crown, growing to a height of 60 to 80 feet. A rapid growing tree, which adapts itself to a variety of soils. For lawns and parks.  
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There are two varieties of Burbank Double Flowering Peach. Santa Rosa, producing so many large, brilliant red, double flowers that it has the appearance of a solid mass of color; and Orchid, covered by exquisite large, bright orchid-pink, double blossoms in early spring before the leaves appear. A marvel of beauty. Because these Rose-Flowering Peaches are so new and entirely different they have been awarded Patents by the U. S. Government.  
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3 to 4 foot size, \$3.50 each  
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Practical and beautiful, covered with rich, purplish-red foliage until late fall. Also bears delicious plums. Height 12 to 15 feet. Use this to give that drab corner new life. Burbank's striking bright purple leaf ornamental lawn tree. Front of leaf is a beautiful rich purplish red like leaves of Purple Leaf Maple.  
3 to 4 foot size, \$3.75 each  
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**C652 PLUM, Double Flowering**  
The Double Flowering Plum is also known as the Rose Tree of China. A nicely shaped, compact little tree, covered with rose-like, pink blossoms in early spring before the leaves appear.  
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.95 each  
3 to 4 foot size, \$3.40 each

**CRAB, Double-Flowering**  
This beautiful Dwarf Tree is an inspiring sight in May when it is literally covered with Double, Rose-Like Blooms of Rosy Pink. A great favorite as a Specimen on the lawn and to add breathtaking beauty to the Shrub Border.  
C615 BECHTEL  
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.90 each  
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**C621 POPLAR, Carolina**  
This tree is noted for its vigor, quick growth and the effective shade it makes at an early age. Will attain a height of 60 to 90 feet and often has a spread of 50 to 60 feet. Will grow in poor, dry soil with very little care. An interesting and valuable tree.  
5 to 6 foot size, \$2.45 each  
6 to 8 foot size, \$3.00 each  
8 to 10 foot size, \$4.00 each

**C635 POPLAR, Lombardy**  
Ideal tree for quick screen or windbreak. Rapid, upright growth soon pushes top of tree to 50 or 60 feet—will eventually grow to height of 80 to 100 feet. Requires little room for growth as spread of limbs is only 5 to 6 feet.  
5 to 6 foot size, \$1.95 each  
6 to 8 foot size, \$2.50 each  
8 to 10 foot size, \$3.50 each

**WEeping WILLOW**  
The Weeping Willows introduce a graceful note of beauty to the landscape picture with long sweeping branches.  
C632 WISCONSIN Weeping Willow  
A spreading tree with long, drooping branches, very attractive foliage.  
3 to 4 foot size, \$3.45 each  
4 to 6 foot size, \$4.00 each  
6 to 8 foot size, \$5.00 each

**C630 GOLDEN TWIG Weeping Willow**  
A beautiful tree of weeping habit with golden yellow branches. Excellent variety, having short trunk and rounded top.  
3 to 4 foot size, \$3.95 each  
4 to 6 foot size, \$4.50 each  
6 to 8 foot size, \$5.50 each

**C631 THURLOW Weeping Willow**  
A very attractive spreading tree with large crown. Branches are long, pendulous and distinctive yellow green in color.  
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## Sensational New "All-America" Winners \$2.50 each

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## Superior EVERBLOOMING Hybrid Tea Roses — \$1.95 Each

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Amazing NEW FLORIBUNDA ROSES

Continuous Blooming Roses—For Landscaping, Mass Planting & Rose Beds

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New Top Leaders—U. S. Patented Climbers.

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B742 Cl. American Beauty\*\* Red  
B780 Climbing Talisman\*\*\* Everblooming—Red and Gold  
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B741 Paul's Scarlet Climber\*\*\* Brilliant Red—Very Popular

## Money-Saving Rose Assortments

### "SENSATIONAL SIX" ROSE ASSORTMENT—No. RF-10

(6 New U. S. Patent EVERBLOOMING (H. T.) Bush Roses)

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Ami Quinard (Dark Crimson); Etoile de Hollande (Crimson); K. A. Viktoria (White); Mrs. P. S. DuPont (Deep Golden Yellow); Pres. Hoover (Maroon and Gold); Sunburst (Yellow).

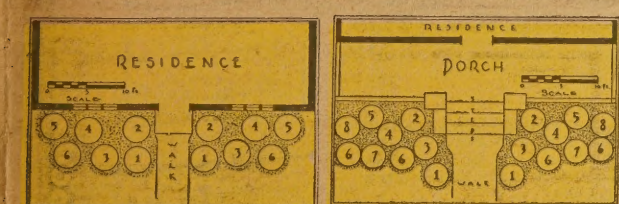
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Now Only \$21.00 Regular Price \$28.00 Customer Saves \$7.00  
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(When ordering Write "Home")

Key	No.	Plants for Plan No. C-3
1	2	Snowhill Hydrangea
2	2	Virginia Mockorange
3	2	Spiraea, Billiard
4	2	Flowering Almond
5	2	Border Forsythia
6	2	Rugosa Rose

Key numbers in circles denote shrub name. No. means number of plants to be used in the planting.

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Key	No.	Plants for Plan No. C-4
1	2	Spiraea, Vanhoutte
2	2	Lilac, Belle de Nancy
3	3	Japanese Barberry
4	2	Pink Weigela
5	2	Red Weigela
6	4	Snowhill Hydrangea
7	2	Red Leaf Barberry
8	2	Sweet Mockorange

If supply of any Ornamental or Rose in these Assortments is exhausted, our experts will select a suitable kind of equal or greater value.



# PLANT STARK TREES-And You Plant the Best!

ONLY FROM STARK TREES DO YOU GET THESE EXTRA BENEFITS

## STARK TREES OFTEN PAY FOR THEMSELVES WITH FIRST CROP

### \$21.45 Worth of Apples on 3-Year Stark Golden Delicious Tree

"3 years ago we ordered three 'Gold-Mine' Orchards from you and we are now in position to mail out Christmas boxes with a dozen Stark Golden Delicious in a box.

"We have apples that are 4 inches across them now. One tree has 146 apples on it and has been planted here 3 years and it was a hard winter and spring here on them."—Mrs. Lynn McDonald, Barry County, Michigan.

### \$24.00 Worth of Cherries from 5-Year Stark Gold Tree

(excerpt from Moberly, Mo. paper)

"John L. Widner delivered 33 pounds of Stark Gold Sweet Cherries in Moberly which sold at 40 cents a pound. This 33-pound delivery was part of the crop from one tree, as the family used about half of the crop at home. Widner estimates the yield from this one tree to have been about 60 pounds. It is a 5-year tree and has borne a good crop the past two seasons.

"This Stark Gold Cherry is hardy, a regular and heavy bearer and is one cherry the birds let me pick—some call it the 'bird-proof cherry,' Mr. Widner said."

### \$4.00 a Bushel for Peaches from 3-Year Stark Trees

"My Hal-Berta, J. H. Hale and Red Bird Cling Peach trees I bought from you 3 years ago had the finest peaches on them I ever saw. They weighed 14 ounces. I sold them for \$4.00 a bushel and got 5c apiece for selected ones. I gathered as much as 1½ bushels per tree. I can recommend Stark trees as the finest, fastest growing trees I ever saw."—John W. West, Cherokee County, Ala.

### \$4,850.00 Crop of Burbank July Elberta Peach

W. A. May of LaMar County, Texas sold his 1948 crop of Burbank July Elberta Peaches from his young 10-acre orchard for \$4,850.00—\$485.00 per acre. Mr. May recently wrote us:

"My orchard is set out on 25 foot centers giving me about 69 trees to the acre. I have only Burbank July Elberta Peach Trees in my orchard and I must say that Stark Trees are second to none."

## 10 EXCLUSIVE BENEFITS

Results Show Why Stark Trees Are the Lowest Priced Trees on Earth!

- 1 Stark Trees Bear Quicker—1, 2 or 3 Years Sooner, often when only 2 years old.
- 2 Stark Record-Bearing Strains Bear Best, because they come from finest Parent Trees.
- 3 Stark Customers Get "Miracle" Fruit—Created by Stark and Burbank, Wizard of Horticulture.
- 4 Every Stark Tree is Guaranteed to arrive Safely at your shipping Point — or we Replace FREE. 3-Way Guarantee.
- 5 Every Stark Tree is True to Name—Stark Head Propagator makes Affidavit yearly.
- 6 Stark Customers Get All the Roots, because we dig with Stark Patent Power Digger.
- 7 Stark Big, Husky-Rooted Trees Grow Faster, because grown by Stark Trade-Marked "Old Oak Process" Reg. U.S. Pat. Off.
- 8 Stark Trees are Super-Quality—they are Grown by Experts. Backed by Experience of 6 Generations—138 Years.
- 9 Stark Tree Roots are Protected From the Sun and Wind by Covered Vans and Cool, Dark Packing Houses.
- 10 Every Stark Shipment Carries State Inspection Certificate, and every tree is inspected 5 times before shipment.

## STARK ORCHARDS AND ORNAMENTALS INCREASE PROPERTY VALUES

### Stark Trees Added \$1,200.00 to Selling Price of Lot

"I have five half-acre lots eleven miles from Chicago," writes Mr. O. R. Moore.

"My friend, Mr. Brown, who is Vice-President of one of the largest real estate firms in the city, was offered \$120.00 MORE for one of his half-acre lots simply because his fruit trees, planted every 30 feet, were loaded with all kinds of fruit—and these were 4-year-old trees."

Stark World's Champion Fruit Trees would add \$6,000.00 to the value of Mr. Moore's five lots on this same basis, and one crop of high quality fruit often pays the entire cost of the trees.

### "Stark Trees Too Low Priced," C. M. Mathis, Ky.

"We planted the trees you sent us. We were very much delighted in your choice trees. The only criticism we have is you sell your trees too cheap, when you consider the high grade of trees you place on the market."

### Stark Trees Helped Sell Old Place—Wants Bigger Stark Orchard on New Farm

"I am sure our home orchard on the place we sold helped to sell the place. Our Starking Delicious and Stark Golden Delicious apple trees and our Hal-Berta, Giant peach and July Elberta peach trees bore a few fruits the second year after planting. I am most anxious to get a larger orchard started on our new 80-acre farm. Please rush me your catalog, so I can get started planning my new orchard."—B. L. Powers, Pulaski Co., Ark.

### Stark Orchard Cost Him \$80.00—Helps Get \$3,950 More for His Place Only 6 Years Later

"I bought about \$80.00 worth of trees from you about 5 or 6 years ago for my small place which had cost me \$550.00. I sold out for \$4,500.00. My Stark orchard helped me sell the place and make a good profit. I have bought a new place now—and will buy again from you."—Chas. A. Coleman, Pike Co., Kentucky.

## HOW TO SELECT VARIETIES FOR BEST CROSS-POLLINATION AND HEAVIER BEARING

Many fruit varieties need some other variety growing nearby so that the blossoms may be cross-pollinated, otherwise they will not bear fruit as heavily as they should. Check each kind of fruit carefully below and be sure you have ordered enough different varieties of each kind of fruit to insure heaviest production in your orchard.

**APPLES.** Be sure you have at least 2 or 3 different varieties of apples in the same orchard or in your neighborhood. **PEACHES.** Most peach varieties are self fruitful and will bear by themselves; however, to assure larger crop it is usually safer to plant at least 2 other varieties. **PEARS.** Be sure to include at least 2 pear varieties. **CHERRIES.** Sour cherries or pie cherries are self-fruitful but be sure you include at least 2 varieties of sweet cherries, one of which should be strong pollinizer like Black Tartarian Improved or Stark Gold. **PLUMS.** Use several varieties of plums if possible, at least 3 different varieties. **APRICOTS.** All our apricots are self-fruitful. **GRAPES.** Plant 2 or more varieties of grapes.

### How to Select Varieties

**HARDINESS.**—After descriptions in catalog, key letters—NCS—show region where the variety grows successfully—NN means Far North; N, North; C, Central; S, South; hence NCS means it grows well North, Central, South.

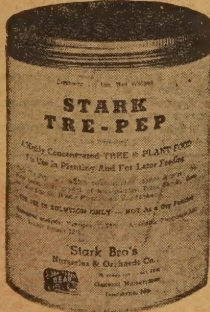
**POLLINATION.**—There are probably enough Fruit Trees growing near you to pollinate those you plant. To make sure of cross-pollination select different varieties. It is best to plant at least 2 Apple varieties, 2 or more Pear, Plum, Sweet Cherry and Peach.

**\$5.00 MINIMUM ORDER.** Stark Bro's lose money on orders totaling less than \$5.00. In the event order totals less than \$5.00, please add 50c to the total to help cover cost of handling. This applies to Stark Nursery Stock only—not to Stark Tre-Pep, Orchard Fertilizer, Spray Materials, Strawberries.

## STARK TRE-PEP (Trade-Mark) STARTER FERTILIZER

(FOR USE WHEN TREES ARE PLANTED) Also for Quick Feeding of Trees and Plants During Growing Season

Gives Quick, Vigorous Start to Your Young Trees and Plants. Fine for Trees, Shrubs, Roses, Berries, Vegetables, House Plants, etc.



Just add one tablespoonful of this Concentrated Plant Food to one gallon of water and pour into hole on dirt as you plant Fruit Trees, Shrubs, Roses, etc. It will start quick growth and stimulate Young Bearing.

Stark TRE-PEP is also wonderful for Vegetables and House Plants. You will be amazed at the quick response of your plants in larger, more profuse blooms. Just pour around plants on top of ground or mulch.

1½-lb. Package of Stark Tre-Pep makes 37 Gallons of Liquid Fertilizer.

**PRICES POSTPAID. Please Send Cash With Order.**  
1½-lb. can \$1.90 5-lb. bag \$5.50

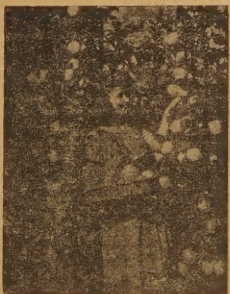
## STARK Orchard Fertilizer

(FOR USE ON ESTABLISHED TREES)

Spectacular Tree Growth. Increases Crops Up to Double in Yield. Improves Size and Quality of Fruit

Here is a New Concentrated Fertilizer especially made for bearing trees. It is high in Nitrate—Powerful. A little goes a long way. Only ¼-lb. to each inch of diameter of trunk of tree. You can actually see the trees take on new luster. Foliage becomes a richer green in color and growth is greatly increased. **MORE FRUIT — LARGER FRUIT — HIGHER QUALITY FRUIT** result when you feed your bearing trees Stark ORCHARD Fertilizer.

**FOR BEST RESULTS,** scatter on ground under the trees just before growth starts in Spring. Or for immediate results on Apple Trees, dissolve in water and spray on foliage. **Quicker Tree Growth — Bigger Fruit — More Fruit Sooner When You Use Stark ORCHARD Fertilizer.**



**PRICES POSTPAID. Please Send Cash With Order.**  
5 lbs. \$3.30 18 lbs. \$7.55

## IT'S FUN! IT'S EASY TO SPRAY Stark's New Combination Spray

JUST ADD WATER — THAT'S ALL

IT'S EFFICIENT... IT'S SAFE... IT'S EASY TO USE

Full Directions on Package. 1-lb. will spray 25 1-year trees; 12 3-year trees; 6 5-year trees for the entire season (5 applications) when applied with a hand sprayer.

All the ingredients needed for complete protection are already mixed in Stark COMBINATION Spray—just add water.

**PROTECTS ALL KINDS OF FRUITS AND TREES**

Stark COMBINATION Spray protects both the tree and fruit from insects and diseases—Apples, Peaches, Cherries, Plums, Pears, Grapes. Also excellent for Flowering Shrubs, Shade Trees, Roses and other Ornamentals.

**LARGER FRUIT—BIGGER CROPS**

Bigger crops of large size, clean, sugar-sweet, tree-ripe fruit from your own trees can now be yours when you protect your trees and fruit with Stark COMBINATION Spray, which combines 4 highly effective and safe chemicals in one Easy-to-Use Spray. No longer do you have to carry a Drug Store in your basement. No longer do you have to measure out a teaspoonful of this and an ounce of that—it's already mixed for you in Stark COMBINATION Spray.

### "NOW It's Fun to Spray"

"I didn't spray with anything but Stark Combination Spray and it sure does the work. I take people out to see the big, fine red apples. I can grow fine apples and you can, too, if you use Stark Spray."—J. P. Jackson, Ill.

"It is the best spray we have found and would use no other—saves time, eliminates waste."—Mrs. Anna T. Medlin, Va.

"I can't say enough about Stark Combination Spray. It is very important to the home fruit grower."—John E. George, Ohio.

"I used to dread to spray even the few trees I have. NOW it's fun!"—Jos. Resnik, Ind.

"It is the best spray I have ever used. I sold some to my neighbors and they liked it, too. It did the work."—C. W. Schneider, Wis.

"It saves time, money and, best of all, it saves fruit."—Mrs. Ida Gibbs, Texas.

"The EASIEST spray material to use that's available."—H. T. Waller, Va.

"It's the finest all-around 4-way spray. Fine for trees and fine for fruit."—Beatrice M. Forsythe, N. Y.

"It enabled me to win First Prizes on all varieties of Apples. I entered at Lamar Fair."—Chester Bateman, Mo.

"It makes the spray program a pleasure."—A. W. Kadel, Iowa.

"It couldn't be easier, more convenient or quicker to use."—Robert Wilking, Ill.

### COSTS SO LITTLE

Stark COMBINATION Spray is so concentrated it takes very little to make enough liquid spray to do the job—½-lb. package makes 8 gallons of liquid spray. It costs only about 7c for enough material to spray a 5-year bearing Apple, Peach, Plum or other fruit Tree.

### PRICES

Stark Combination Spray, Postpaid (Please send Cash with Order)  
½-lb. Package.....\$1.90  
1½-lb. Package.....\$3.90  
Case of Six ½-lb. Packages (Regular Ea. Price \$10.80).....\$9.20  
Case of Six 1½-lb. Packages (Regular Ea. Price \$22.50).....\$19.15

### SPRAYS and DUSTS for Special Uses

Stark Bro's Borer Spray—Keeps borers out of trees. Kills borers already under bark.

Stark Bro's Borer Spray — Keeps borers out of trees. Kills borers already under bark.

½-lb. enough for 10 large trees.....\$1.65

Stark Combination Spray and Dust are products of Stark Home Orchard Research. They are Developed and Distributed Exclusively by Stark.



1½-lb. package of Stark Combination Spray makes 24 gallons of liquid spray.

## STARK BRO'S FRUIT and FLOWER DUST

A high-powered DUST that effectively controls both diseases and insects on Fruit Trees, Shrubs, Roses, etc. One pound, properly applied, will cover 200 square feet of Rose Garden 5 times.

### PRICES

POSTPAID  
1 lb. can.....\$2.35  
5 lb. bag.....\$5.95





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## Trees of KNOWN PARENTAGE—"Record-Bearing" Strains—Yield Bigger, Better Fruit SOONER—Every Stark Tree Is GUARANTEED By the World's Largest Nurseries

When you buy your Fruit Trees from Stark Bro's—you get every benefit and advantage of more than 138 years of leadership in the Fruit and Plant World. Stark Bro's have developed and introduced more valuable, successful, famous New Fruits than all other nurseries combined.

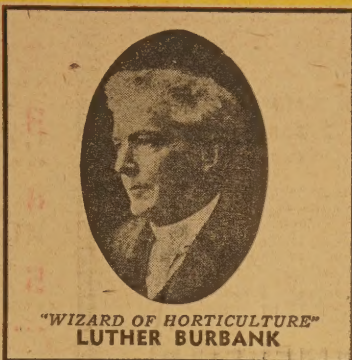
Stark Trees and Plants pass 5 inspections. Official State Inspectors regularly check and certify all Stark Nursery Trees and Plants. Before shipment they must be again inspected and approved by our superintendent. Five times these trees must pass inspection at the hands of experts who have definite instructions to throw out every tree that does not measure up to the high standards we have set. This is your assurance that every Stark Tree and Plant is as near perfect as a tree or plant can be.

### STARK'S 3-WAY GUARANTEE ON ALL TREES AND PLANTS

1. GUARANTEED that every Stark Tree and Plant you receive is true to name or "money back, free from disease, State-inspected and in good, live planting condition.
2. GUARANTEED that every Stark Tree or Plant arriving in unsatisfactory condition will be replaced ABSOLUTELY FREE, provided you notify us by letter within 2 weeks from date you receive it.
3. GUARANTEED that, if any Stark Tree or Plant that is given reasonable care does not grow the first Summer, we will share the loss with you by replacing it at 1/2 your cost, provided you notify us before September 1st following planting. \*(See "True to Name" on Order Blank.)

### Introduced More Fruits than ALL Others

Hon. E. P. Powell, famous Horticultural author, wrote:—"There are two kinds of men dealing with Fruit Evolution. One of these is the Burbank sort, applying science to the



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LUTHER BURBANK

development of new sorts. If Burbanks are wizards, Stark Bro's are the Saviors." Stark Bro's have unquestionably introduced more Valuable, Successful, Famous New Fruits than all other nurseries combined.

### Sole Heirs to Luther Burbank's Amazing New Fruit Miracles

When Luther Burbank, the Master Plant Breeder, realized that the end of his remarkable work was near, he named Stark Bro's exclusively to continue his world-famous experiments. And Stark Bro's alone were selected by the Wizard of Horticulture to introduce his new discoveries and creations to fruit and plant growers everywhere.

Men of little faith scoffed at Luther Burbank when, in 1893, he printed his first little catalog of "New Creations" in Plant and Fruit Life—including new fruits, larger and more beautiful and far more delicious than had ever before been known. But a small handful of kindred Pioneers possessed the faith and foresight to recognize the genius of this Maker of Miracles. Outstanding among these Pioneers were the nationally known Nurserymen, Orchardists and Horticulturists, the Stark Brothers.

### Helped By Stark Bro's From The Start

The Fourth Generation of Stark Nurserymen in Missouri had not only the birthright and background to give them faith in Luther Burbank, they also were able to back up this faith with financial support at the very time when Burbank's future and the future of his history-making fruit and plant creations hung on that support.

The Stark Brothers bought from Luther Burbank the sole rights to the FIRST TREES of "New Creations" the Wizard of Horticulture ever sold. For these exclusive rights Stark Bro's paid the Master Plant Breeder what at that time was the fabulous sum of \$9,000.00.

As a consequence of this vision and financial support and because, in all the world, the Stark Family was the one best equipped by tradition and experience to carry on this miraculous work, Stark Bro's Nurseries—and Stark Bro's alone—were chosen by Luther Burbank to spread his great work throughout the world.

Today, over 100 years after the birth of Luther Burbank, Stark Bro's are proud to share with you the greatest achievements of "The Green-Thumbed Pioneer" whose great intellect, boundless imagination and patient hands gave the world the most remarkable new kinds of Plums, Plumcots, Peaches, Cherries, Quinces and other fruits ever developed for the greater happiness and health of mankind.

## SAVE MONEY—25%—on These Special Low-Priced INTRODUCTORY OFFER ASSORTMENTS

All Trees are Top Quality. Regular Size Apple and Pear Trees are 4 to 5 ft.; Cherry, Peach, Plum and Apricot are 3 to 4 ft. Super-Size Apple and Pear Trees are 5 to 7 ft. size; Cherry, Peach, Plum and Apricot Trees are 4 to 6 ft. size.

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### "BIG 6 LEADER" APPLES

Assortment No. F-1 Only \$11.63

\* Regular Size Top Quality Stark Trees  
REGULAR PRICE \$15.50 — YOU SAVE \$3.87

When Ordering, Just Write—ASSORTMENT No. F-1—\$11.63

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| 1 Stark Golden Delicious Apple | 1 Starking Delicious Apple |
| 1 Stark Jon-A-Red Apple        | 1 Stark RedGold Apple      |
| 1 Stark Dbl. Red Rome Beauty   | 1 Scarlet Staymared Apple  |

\*\*Also in Super-Size Trees for ONLY \$12.75

### "Special Choice 6" Fall & Winter Apples

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| 1 Stark JonGrimes Apple         | 1 Scarlet Staymared Apple     |
| 1 Jon-A-Red Apple               | 1 Rome Beauty, Dbl.-Red Apple |
| 1 Grimes Golden Dbl.-Life Apple | 1 York-A-Red Apple            |

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### "SELECT SUMMER 6" APPLES

Assortment No. F-3 Only \$8.78

\* Regular Size Top Quality Stark Trees  
REGULAR PRICE \$11.70 — YOU SAVE \$2.92

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| 1 Early Red Bird Apple     | 1 Early McIntosh Apple     |
| 1 Yellow Transparent Apple | 1 Lodi, Early Golden Apple |
| 1 Wealthy Double-Red Apple | 1 Summer Champion Apple    |

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For All 3 Assortments Above \$30.00  
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### WORLD'S CHAMPION APPLES

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REGULAR PRICE \$28.30 — YOU SAVE \$7.07

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| 1 Stark RedGold Apple, New     | 1 Double-Red Rome Beauty   |
| 1 Stark Golden Delicious Apple | 1 Early Red Bird Apple     |
| 1 Starking Delicious Apple     | 1 Lodi, Early Golden Apple |
| 1 Stark Jon-A-Red Apple        | 1 Summer Champion Apple    |
| 1 Stark JonGrimes Apple        | 1 Early McIntosh Apple     |
| 1 Scarlet Staymared Apple      | 1 Virginia Crab Apple      |

\*\*Also in Super-Size Trees for ONLY \$23.48

### New Extra Hardy Home Yard Orchard

Assortment No. F-5 Only \$38.02

\* Regular Size Top Quality Stark Trees  
REGULAR PRICE \$50.70 — YOU SAVE \$12.68

When Ordering, Just Write—ASSORTMENT No. F-5—\$38.02

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| 1 Stark Golden Delicious Apple | 1 Wealthy, Double-Red Apple     |
| 1 Starking Delicious Apple     | 1 Winesap Apple                 |
| 1 Stark RedGold Apple—New      | 1 Stark Florence Crab Apple     |
| 1 Jon-A-Red, Dbl.-Red Jonathan | 1 Sure-Crop Peach               |
| 1 Scarlet Staymared Apple      | 1 Stanley Plum                  |
| 1 Stark JonGrimes Apple        | 1 Starking Hardy Giant Cherry   |
| 1 Stark Dbl.-Red Rome Beauty   | 1 Mont. Stark Red Pie Cherry    |
| 1 Early Red Bird Apple         | 1 Stark Gold Sweet Cherry       |
| 1 Lodi, Early Golden Apple     | 5 Grapes—2 Red, 1 White, 2 Blue |
| 1 Early McIntosh Apple         |                                 |

\*\*Also in Super-Size Trees for ONLY \$41.29

### HALF ACRE SPECIAL HOME ORCHARD

Assortment No. F-6 Only \$68.81

\* Regular Size Top Quality Stark Trees  
REGULAR PRICE \$91.75 — YOU SAVE \$22.94

Best Varieties, ripe from early to late.

When Ordering, Just Write—ASSORTMENT No. F-6—\$68.81

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| 2 Stark Golden Delicious Apple | 1 Montearly Red Pie Cherry   |
| 2 Starking Delicious Apple     | 1 Mont. Stark Red Pie Cherry |
| 1 Stark RedGold Apple—New      | 1 Wilson Delicious Apricot   |
| 1 Scarlet Staymared Apple      | 1 Lincoln Pear               |
| 2 Jon-A-Red Apple              | 1 Bartlett Pear              |
| 1 Stark Dbl.-Red Rome Beauty   | 1 Starking Delicious Peach   |
| 1 Early Red Bird Apple         | 1 Burbank July Elberta Peach |
| 1 Lodi, Early Golden Apple     | 1 Stark Early Elberta Peach  |
| 1 Wealthy, Double-Red Apple    | 1 Golden Elberta Cling Peach |
| 1 Stark Florence Crab Apple    | 1 Honeydew Hale Peach        |
| 1 Burbank Great Yellow Plum    | 1 Hal-Berta Giant Peach      |
| 1 Starking Delicious Plum      | 1 Early Flame Fuzzless Peach |
| 1 Stark Gold Sweet Cherry      | 3 Blue Grape (Large Size)    |
| 1 Starking Hardy Giant Cherry  | 3 White Grape (Large Size)   |
|                                | 3 Red Grape (Large Size)     |

\*\*Also in Super-Size Trees for ONLY \$72.26

### "SUPER-6 LEADER" PEACHES

Assortment No. F-8 Only \$12.75

\* Regular Size Top Quality Stark Trees  
REGULAR PRICE \$17.00 — YOU SAVE \$4.25

When Ordering, Just Write—ASSORTMENT No. F-8—\$12.75

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| 1 Honeydew Hale Peach       | 1 Burbank July Elberta Peach |
| 1 Starking Delicious Peach  | 1 Stark Red J. H. Hale       |
| 1 Stark Early Elberta Peach | 1 Hal-Berta Giant Peach      |

\*\*Also in Super-Size Trees for ONLY \$13.88

### STARK GOLD MEDAL PEACHES

Assortment No. F-9 Only \$18.15

\* Regular Size Top Quality Stark Trees  
REGULAR PRICE \$24.20 — YOU SAVE \$6.05

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One tree each of the 10 Best Peaches in the world today—provides luscious yellow fleshed peaches, early to late.

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| 1 Starking Delicious Peach   | 1 Golden Elberta Cling Peach |
| 1 Golden Jubilee Peach       | 1 Stark Elberta Queen Peach  |
| 1 Burbank July Elberta Peach | 1 Hal-Berta Giant Peach      |
| 1 Halehaven Peach            | 1 Shippers Late Red Peach    |
| 1 Stark Early Elberta Peach  | 1 Stark Late Elberta Peach   |

\*\*Also in Super-Size Trees for ONLY \$20.25

### SPECIAL 10 TREE ASSORTMENT

Assortment No. F-10 Only \$20.32

\* Regular Size Top Quality Stark Trees  
REGULAR PRICE \$27.10 — YOU SAVE \$6.78

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| 1 Stark Golden Delicious Apple | 1 Lincoln Pear               |
| 1 Starking Delicious Apple     | 1 Omaha Plum                 |
| 1 Jon-A-Red Apple              | 1 Mont. Stark Red Pie Cherry |
| 1 Summer Champion Apple        | 1 Burbank July Elberta Peach |
| 1 Early Red Bird Apple         | 1 Hal-Berta Giant Peach      |

Also in Super-Size Trees for ONLY \$22.20

### BIG COMPLETE 1 ACRE FARM HOME FAMILY ORCHARD AND VINEYARD

Assortment No. F-7 Only \$122.29

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REGULAR PRICE \$163.05 — YOU SAVE \$40.76

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| 4 Stark Golden Delicious Apple | 2 Montearly Red Pie Cherry      |
| 4 Starking Delicious Apple     | 2 Mont. Stark Red Pie Cherry    |
| 2 Scarlet Staymared Apple      | 1 Gold \$3000.00 Plum           |
| 3 Jon-A-Red Apple              | 1 Omaha Plum                    |
| 2 Stark RedGold Apple—New      | 1 Starking Delicious (new) Plum |
| 2 Stark Dbl.-Red Rome Beauty   | 1 Burbank's Great Yellow Plum   |
| 1 York-A-Red Apple             | 1 Bartlett Pear                 |
| 1 McIntosh, Double-Red Apple   | 1 Lincoln Pear                  |
| 1 Grimes Golden, "Double-Life" | 1 Stark Sure-Crop Peach—New     |
| 1 Early Red Bird Apple         | 1 Starking Delicious Peach      |
| 1 Lodi, Early Golden Apple     | 1 Golden Jubilee Peach          |
| 1 Summer Champion Apple        | 1 Early Flame Fuzzless Peach    |
| 2 Early McIntosh Apple         | 1 Early White Giant Peach       |
| 1 Wealthy, Double-Red Apple    | 1 Burbank July Elberta Peach    |
| 1 Stark JonGrimes Apple        | 1 Stark Early Elberta Peach     |
| 1 Winesap Apple                | 1 Golden Elberta Cling Peach    |
| 1 Stark Florence Crab Apple    | 1 Honeydew Hale Peach           |
| 1 Wilson, Delicious Apricot    | 2 Hal-Berta Giant Peach         |
| 1 Stark Gold Sweet Cherry      | 12 Blue Grape (Large Size)      |
| 1 Starking Hardy Giant Cherry  | 12 White Grape (Large Size)     |
|                                | 12 Red Grape (Large Size)       |

\*\*Also in Super-Size Trees for ONLY \$132.04

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Knowing the value of these remarkable new fruits, we make the following Special Prices on Demonstration Orchards to encourage the planting of Advertising Orchards of new Stark varieties in each community. Purchasers to be first class, reliable and agree to take good care of the trees, and report to us when they bear.

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